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REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

1889.

Mar. 16.	Rec'd balance cash in treasury,	\$25 58
Mar. 25.	Board of Education, 1888,	26 90
Mar. 27.	District of Hinsdale, tuitions, 1888,	7 00
Apr. 16.	Selectmen, school appropriation,	200 00
May 1.	Selectmen, " "	200 00
May 28.	Selectmen, " "	100 00
June 8.	Selectmen, " "	250 00
June 15.	Selectmen, " "	500 00
June 26.	Selectmen, " "	500 00
July 6.	Selectmen, " "	500 00
Oct. 1.	Books sold,	1 50
Oct. 10.	Dog tax,	157 00
Oct. 19.	Literary fund,	456 84
Nov. 14.	Books sold,	75
Nov. 18.	Selectmen, school appropriation,	500 00
Nov. 23.	Selectmen, " "	500 00
Dec. 21.	Special appropriation for repairs of school house No. 6,	250 00
Dec. 21.	Special appropriation for repairs of school house No. 13,	100 00
Dec. 31.	Old stove removed from school house No. 6,	5 00

1890.

Jan. 11.	Rec'd Selectmen, school appropriation,	\$500 00
Feb. 8.	Selectmen, " "	500 00
Feb. 17.	Selectmen, " "	750 00
Feb. 24.	Balance from graduation exercises,	4 54
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		\$6,035 11

RECAPITULATION.

Cash in treasury March 16, 1889,	\$25 58
Received from miscellaneous sources,	45 69
Dog tax,	157 00
Literary fund,	456 84
Special appropriations for repairs,	350 00
School appropriation,	5,000 00
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DISBURSEMENTS.

1889.

Mar. 25.	Paid William Gurnsey,	\$1 43
Mar. 25.	Sidney M. Morse,	15 60
Mar. 25.	Sidney M. Morse,	6 00
Mar. 30.	O. D. Case & Co.,	31 46
Apr. 6.	George W. Peirce,	2 41
Apr. 16.	Albert J. Howard,	4 95
Apr. 16.	Charles Elgar,	4 35
Apr. 20.	John G. Thompson,	80 00
Apr. 26.	M. Grace Ball,	25 00
Apr. 26.	Susie P. Peirce,	10 00
Apr. 27.	John G. Thompson,	25 00
Apr. 27.	Frank Carlton,	10 00
Apr. 27.	N. D. Safford,	38 75
May 1.	Leon O. Davis,	27 00
May 10.	John G. Thompson,	50 00
May 11.	Emily M. Pickett,	20 00
May 11.	Myrta H. Swan,	15 00
May 15.	N. W. Dickenson,	5 25

May 15.	Paid Octave Bergeron,	\$4 00
May 18.	Mariette Davis,	5 00
May 18.	Bradley Rixford,	8 00
May 23.	Clara Parker,	15 00
May 24.	C. M. Cook,	56 07
May 29.	John G. Thompson,	55 00
May 29.	W. H. Spalter,	2 00
May 29.	Charles C. Buffum,	3 00
May 30.	D. C. Stearns,	13 50
May 30.	Charles J. Fosgate,	2 75
June 7.	John G. Thompson,	50 00
June 7.	M. Grace Ball,	55 00
June 10.	Leander Gonyou,	2 00
June 10.	Eva Davis,	75 00
June 10.	Leander Gonyou,	7 00
June 15.	Emily M. Pickett,	50 00
June 15.	Clara Parker,	75 00
June 15.	Ellen M. Davis,	54 00
June 15.	Claribel Guest,	70 00
June 15.	Maverette E. Sprague,	54 00
June 15.	John G. Thompson,	8 25
June 18.	A. S. Eaton,	26 00
June 21.	John G. Thompson,	56 67
June 21.	Marguerite Leonard,	108 00
June 21.	Susie P. Pierce,	65 00
June 22.	May B. Thompson,	60 00
June 22.	Alice R. Foster,	60 00
June 22.	Mrs. E. Wilbur,	37 50
June 24.	Mattie B. Clark,	110 00
June 24.	Myrta H. Swan,	75 00
June 26.	H. Abbott, Cashier,	28 40
July 1.	M. R. Flint,	20 00
July 1.	M. Lizette Davis,	2 40
July 1.	M. Lizette Davis,	72 00
July 1.	M. Lillian Lewis,	66 00
July 3.	Nettie E. Fuller,	72 00
July 3.	Nettie E. Fuller,	2 40

July 5.	Paid James A. Atherton,	\$2 25
July 5.	Jennie M. Ellis,	42 60
July 5.	Eugene Wilder,	23 12
July 6.	N. Maria Snow,	57 50
July 13.	Jessie B. Rixford,	2 55
July 18.	Luman E. Whipple,	30 00
July 18.	Webster L. Rixford,	16 50
July 18.	Webster L. Rixford,	36 00
Aug. 1.	Milan D. Spaulding,	50
Aug. 6.	E. C. Hildreth,	2 00
Aug. 10.	N. D. Safford,	13 75
Aug. 17.	Charles J. Fosgate,	60
Aug. 24.	Robert L. Beals,	2 40
Aug. 27.	Charles Jackson,	75
Aug. 31.	John Hutchins,	93 00
Sept. 6.	J. H. Bliss,	1 96
Sept. 13.	John G. Thompson,	50 00
Sept. 16.	E. C. Stimpson,	3 50
Sept. 19.	A. J. Harvey,	1 50
Sept. 27.	William Gurnsey,	1 63
Sept. 27.	John G. Thompson,	50 00
Oct. 7.	W. E. Saben,	13 50
Oct. 10.	M. Grace Ball,	10 00
Oct. 10.	Myrta H. Swan,	20 00
Oct. 10.	Susie P. Pierce,	20 00
Oct. 11.	M. Grace Ball,	20 00
Oct. 11.	Clara Parker,	15 00
Oct. 11.	Charles Davis,	3 00
Oct. 14.	John G. Thompson,	55 00
Oct. 19.	Emily M. Pickett,	20 00
Oct. 22.	Frank T. Jackson,	2 40
Oct. 26.	John G. Thompson,	55 00
Oct. 26.	M. Lillian Lewis,	5 00
Oct. 30.	Harvey Jewell,	3 25
Oct. 31.	M. R. Flint,	16 00
Nov. 5.	Charles Cass,	7 50
Nov. 7.	M. Lizzette Davis,	60 00

Nov. 7.	Paid M. Lizzette Davis,	\$1 60
Nov. 7.	Susie P. Pierce,	10 00
Nov. 8.	John G. Thompson.	50 00
Nov. 8.	May B. Thompson,	60 00
Nov. 14.	Zenas Lewis,	1 76
Nov. 15.	James A. Atherton,	2 25
Nov. 15.	John G. Thompson,	27 50
Nov. 16.	Clara Parker,	5 00
Nov. 16.	Nettie E. Fuller,	30 00
Nov. 16.	Charles J. Fosgate,	4 00
Nov. 16.	Charles J. Fosgate,	46
Nov. 16.	E. S. Adams,	2 50
Nov. 17.	Frank J. Gale,	54 00
Nov. 18.	R. W. Musgrove,	1 50
Nov. 18.	Alice R. Foster,	60 00
Nov. 21.	Clara E. Parker,	84 50
Nov. 21.	N. Maria Putnam,	55 25
Nov. 22.	R. W. Pratt & Son,	5 75
Nov. 22.	Edith Callender,	114 00
Nov. 22.	Lizzie Sisson,	90 00
Nov. 23.	Nettie E. Fuller,	42 00
Nov. 23.	Nettie E. Fuller,	2 40
Nov. 23.	E. Wilbur,	41 25
Nov. 23.	Ellen M. Higgins,	39 00
Nov. 23.	M. Lillian Lewis,	61 00
Nov. 23.	Jennie M. Ellis,	44 40
Nov. 23.	Eugene Wilder,	27 00
Nov. 23.	Charles J. Fosgate,	2 40
Nov. 23.	Jessie P. Rixford,	2 20
Nov. 23.	Jessie P. Rixford,	50
Nov. 23.	Myrta H. Swan,	84 50
Nov. 23.	Emily M. Pickett,	50 00
Nov. 23.	Taylor & Ball,	16 21
Nov. 23.	M. Grace Ball,	60 00
Nov. 27.	Wright Wood,	3 63
Nov. 27.	Susie P. Peirce,	45 00
Nov. 27.	Arthur E. Howard,	9 18

Nov. 29.	Paid Eva V. Davis,	\$80 00
Nov. 29.	Frank S. Allen,	5 30
Dec. 3.	W. H. Spalter,	3 25
Dec. 6.	W. L. Rixford,	36 00
Dec. 9.	Edith Callender,	6 00
Dec. 9.	W. E. Saben,	7 75
Dec. 11.	Clara E. Parker,	5 50
Dec. 12.	W. F. Sanders,	75
Dec. 17.	Myrta H. Swan,	10 00
Dec. 17.	W. F. Sanders,	3 20
Dec. 17.	W. F. Sanders,	1 32
Dec. 20.	Edith Callender,	19 00
Dec. 20.	Lizzie Sisson,	18 00
Dec. 20.	Henry Ripley,	2 00
Dec. 21.	Charles J. Fosgate,	25 87
Dec. 23.	Emily M. Pickett,	15 00
Dec. 28.	Robert L. Beals,	2 40
Dec. 28.	Robert L. Beals,	1 00
Dec. 28.	Dan L. Pickett,	2 75
Dec. 31.	A. S. Eaton,	2 00
Dec. 31.	D. C. Stearns,	19 14
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Jan. 3.	N. C. Harvey,	82
Jan. 3.	Charles J. Fosgate,	36 00
Jan. 3.	Charles J. Fosgate,	1 30
Jan. 9.	Warren P. Adams,	9 00
Jan. 10.	M. Grace Ball,	40 00
Jan. 10.	Clara E. Parker,	15 00
Jan. 11.	Herrick P. Young,	75 00
Jan. 11.	Herbert W. Warner,	2 80
Jan. 20.	Lizzie Sisson,	10 00
Jan. 24.	M. Lizzette Kendrick,	48 00
Jan. 24.	M. Lizzette Kendrick,	2 40
Jan. 31.	Herrick P. Young,	75 00
Jan. 31.	Irene L. Matoon,	26 60
Feb. 8.	E. A. Pickering,	87
Feb. 8.	John Hutchins,	26 78

Feb. 11.	Paid M. Lillian Lewis,	\$44 00
Feb. 12.	Myrta H. Swan,	10 00
Feb. 15.	H. Osman Pickett,	8 75
Feb. 15.	Alice R. Foster,	36 00
Feb. 15.	John A. Powers,	40 00
Feb. 17.	M. Grace Ball,	15 00
Feb. 17.	Estate of Ansel Dickenson,	28 00
Feb. 17.	Lizzie Sisson,	5 00
Feb. 18.	Nettie E. Fuller,	30 00
Feb. 21.	Herrick P. Young,	100 00
Feb. 22.	Nettie E. Fuller,	30 00
Feb. 22.	Maria P. Smith,	107 00
Feb. 22.	James A. Atherton,	4 25
Feb. 26.	Charles J. Fosgate,	1 30
Feb. 26.	Charles J. Fosgate,	70
Feb. 26.	Charles J. Fosgate,	3 50
Feb. 26.	A. J. Smith,	8 00
Feb. 26.	Taylor & Ball,	3 38
Feb. 26.	George W. Peirce,	2 00
Feb. 26.	Charles J. Fosgate,	70
Feb. 27.	John Hutchins,	54 90
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		\$5,015 12

RECAPITULATION.

Receipts for the year from all sources,	\$6,035 11
Disbursements for the year for all purposes,	5,015 12
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Balance in treasury Feb. 27,	\$1,019 99

ESTIMATED CONDITION OF THE TREASURY.

Due for transportation of scholars (unpaid),	\$52 00
Janitors' fees,	36 00
Salaries of teachers,	794 90
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\$882 90	

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The town of Hinsdale,		\$17 00
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		\$865 90
Cash on hand Feb. 27,	\$1,019 99	
Balance of unpaid bills,	865 90	
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	\$154 09	

In view of the interruptions occasioned by an unusual amount of sickness on the part of both teachers and scholars, the Board have practically been compelled to continue the schools in Nos. 2, 3 and 18 from one to two weeks later than usual, thus compelling an estimated condition of the treasury as above stated. The estimates are based on the actual amounts known to be due and may be relied upon as an accurate statement of the financial condition of the district.

REPORT OF THE BOARD.

SCHOOL NO. 1.

No school was taught in this house during the year, the scholars being so few in numbers that it was deemed best by the Board of Education for all interests that such scholars as there were should be accommodated in school No. 3. We would suggest that the house needs painting, which could be done at no great expense.

SCHOOL NO. 2.—INTERMEDIATE.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	10	10	12
Whole number of scholars,	34	34	
Average daily attendance,	29	26	30

SCHOOL NO. 2.—PRIMARY.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	10	10	12
Whole number of scholars,	42	34	40
Average daily attendance,	33	18	

There is manifestly a necessity for some action by the district regarding the No. 2 school house, and that at an early date. The Board of Education find that the present house stands in part upon land of the Conn. River R. R., and that there is serious question as to the ownership of the balance of the land and building heretofore and now occupied by the district for school purposes.

SCHOOL No. 3.—HIGH SCHOOL.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	12	12	12
Whole number of scholars,	41	42	39
Average daily attendance,	39	40	36

SCHOOL No. 3.—GRAMMAR.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	10.3	12
Whole number of scholars,	31	38	36
Average daily attendance,	27	34	31

SCHOOL No. 3.—INTERMEDIATE.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	9.4	10	12
Whole number of scholars,	38	41	44
Average daily attendance,	35	38	

SCHOOL No. 3.—PRIMARY.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	10	10	12
Whole number of scholars,	60	48	42
Average daily attendance,	52	43	35

This house needs quite extensive repairs. Rain in every driving storm enters the building through the tower in such quantities as to saturate the walls and ceiling in the centre partition. The rooms all require sheathing overhead, as the plastering is frequently falling in large sheets. The Board are of the opinion that because of the size of the rooms nothing short of sheathing will remedy this defect. We desire also to call attention to the fact that the number of scholars is *now* even largely in excess of the seating capacity of the building. For several years we have been obliged to hire a room of John A. Powers, at an annual expense of \$40, and we could only do justice to the school were we to have two more rooms of equal capacity to those we at present have at command.

Names of graduates of the High School class of '89.—La Fell Dickenson, Abbie Peirce, Milan Dickenson, Kate Willis, Elbridge Forbes, Helen Woodbury, Charles French, Edwin Phillips.

SCHOOL No. 4.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	12	12	8
Whole number of scholars,	11	11	14
Average daily attendance,	10	8	9

SCHOOL No. 5.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	12	12.6	
Whole number of scholars,	6	11	
Average daily attendance,	5	9	

SCHOOL No. 6.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	9	10	8
Whole number of scholars,	16	13	14
Average daily attendance,	14	10	10

At the last annual meeting the district voted a special appropriation of \$250 for the repairs on this house, to be expended under the direction of the Board of Education, and we have, so far as possible, attended to our required duties as follows and at the following expense: Underpinning, \$26; slating, \$56.07; painting, \$30; stove and fixtures, \$21.78; stone work 75 cents, leaving still in our hands an unexpended balance of this appropriation of \$95.40. We would recommend a still further appropriation of \$75, with which a new chimney should be built, the room sheathed overhead and the same new seated.

SCHOOL No. 8.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	10.4	12	
Whole number of scholars,	16	19	
Average daily attendance,	14	12	

SCHOOL No 9.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11.5	11	
Whole number of scholars,	4	5	
Average daily attendance,	3	4	

SCHOOL No. 10.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	9.4	9.8	6
Whole number of scholars,	18	19	13
Average daily attendance,	16	18	11

SCHOOL No. 13.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	12	12	
Whole number of scholars,	11	12	
Average daily attendance,	10	9	

At the last annual meeting the district voted a special appropriation of \$100 for such repairs on this house as the Board of Education approved. Of this sum we have caused to be expended the sum of \$28.87, this amount expended seemed to be necessary from a sanitary point of view, notwithstanding a new building for school purposes was being erected by the Selectmen in its near vicinity. The balance of the appropriation, amounting to \$71.13, we would recommend to be covered into the general fund for the repair of school houses.

SCHOOL No. 16.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	10	7	11
Whole number of scholars,	28	30	24
Average daily attendance,	25	20	17

We have previously called the attention of the district to the need of repairs on the house in this locality. The size of the school and the steady growth of the neighborhood make it seem appropriate that this school house should be kept up in proper condition.

SCHOOL NO. 18.—GRAMMAR.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	9.2	10.7	12
Whole number of scholars,	25	14	11
Average daily attendance,	22	12	8

SCHOOL NO. 18.—PRIMARY.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	9.2	9.8	12
Whole number of scholars,	58	61	53
Average daily attendance,	44	48	

SCHOOL NO. 19.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	10	8	
Whole number of scholars,	2	3	
Average daily attendance,	2	3	

On account of the small number of scholars in this locality, and the fact that they are mostly very young, the Board deemed it best to employ a teacher in one of the private houses of the neighborhood, thus diminishing expense and permitting these very small scholars to remain at home, instead of being carried, which arrangement seems to have been very satisfactory to the Board of Education.

SCHOOL NO. 20.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	9	9	10
Whole number of scholars,	10	11	7
Average daily attendance,	9	9	5

The Board would recommend that this school house be painted during the coming year.

SCHOOL NO. 21.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	10	10	10
Whole number of scholars,	25	26	19
Average daily attendance,	22	21	18

The Board respectfully call attention to the fact that this school house needs painting at an early date.

NAMES OF TEACHERS.

No. 2, GRAMMAR.—M. Grace Ball, Winchester, first, second and third terms.

No. 2, PRIMARY.—Eva V. Davis, Winchester, first, second and third terms.

No. 3, HIGH.—John G. Thompson, Principal, first and second term. Herrick P. Young, Principal, third term. Marguerite Leonard, Hinsdale, Assistant Principal, first term. Edith Callender, Northfield, Mass., Assistant Principal second and third terms.

No. 3, GRAMMAR.—Mattie B. Clark, Roxbury, first term. Myrta H. Swan, Winchester, second and third terms.

No. 3, INTERMEDIATE.—Myrta H. Swan, first term. Lizzie R. Sisson, Keene, second and third terms.

No. 3, PRIMARY.—Susie P. Peirce, Winchester, first, second and third terms.

No. 4.—M. Lillian Lewis, Winchester, first, second and third terms.

No. 5.—Lizzette M. Davis, Winchester, first term. Ellen M. Higgins and Charles J. Fosgate, second term.

No. 6.—Maverette E. Sprague, first term. Lizzette M. Davis second and third terms.

No. 8.—Jennie M. Ellis, Keene, first and second terms.

No. 9.—N. Maria Snow, Winchester, first and second terms.

No. 10.—Alice R. Foster, Winchester, first, second and third terms.

No. 13.—Nettie E. Fuller, Orange, Mass., first and second terms.

No. 16.—E. Claribel Guest, first term. Birdie E. A. Slade, Chesterfield, and Maria P. Smith, Winchester, second term. Maria P. Smith, third term.

No. 18, GRAMMAR.—Clara Parker, Keene, first, second and third terms.

No. 18, PRIMARY.—Emilie M. Pickett, Winchester, first, second and third terms.

No. 20.—Ellen M. Davis, first term. Frank J. Gale, Winchester, second term. Nettie E. Fuller, third term.

No. 21.—May B. Thompson, Winchester, first, second and third terms.

NAMES OF SCHOLARS WHO HAVE BEEN NEITHER ABSENT OR TARDY.

No. 2, INTERMEDIATE.—Alois Pradel, 1; Eddie White, 1; Minnie B. Joyce, 1; Nellie F. White, 1; Rolphe F. Cuthbert, 2, 3; Wentworth S. Fairbanks, 2, 3; Annie Conroy, 3; Annie D. Miller, 3; Sarah J. Miller, 3; Julia Welch, 3; Abbie E. Quigley, 3; Maud J. Quigley, 3; Martin Kelly, 3; Mary A. White, 3.

No. 2, PRIMARY.—Isros Cote, 1, 3; Ida Nauman, 2; Katie Conroy, 1, 2; Abbie Lachance, 2; Eva Fortier, 3; Gertie Natiman, 3; Ellen C. Polzer, 3; Dannie Bergeron, 3.

No. 3, HIGH.—Frank Kendrick, 1; Harry F. McClure, 1; Susie M. Smith, 1; Emily M. Smith, 1; Lura A. Smith, 1; Helen M. Woodbury, 1; Leon L. Naramore, 1, 2; Cora S. Davis, 1, 2; Lura C. Davis, 1, 2; Hattie A. Kingman, 1, 2; George E. Norwood, 1, 3; Nettie M. Brown, 2; Ellen L. Albee, 2; Susie Cross, 2; Nellie R. Rixford, 2; Frances Rixford, 2, 3; Nora Kelton, 3.

No. 3, GRAMMAR.—Gertrude Bancroft, 1; Mabel Brown, 1; May Dickenson, 1; Winnie Burbank, 1; Ethie Buffum, 2; Florence Snow, 2; Susie Winter, 2; Fred Buffum, 2; Forest Taft, 2; Leonard Haniford, 2; Dean Spaulding, 2; Vere Sprague, 2; Asa Jackson, 3; Phillip Peirce, 3; Minnie Kent, 2, 3; Viola Doolittle, 2, 3; Maud Brigham, 2, 3.

No. 3, INTERMEDIATE.—Maud F. Brigham, 1; Viola M. Doolittle, 1; Susie E. Winter, 1; Minnie C. Kent, 1; Florence M. Snow, 1; Maurice Partridge, 1; Ned C. Buffum, 2; Harry Foster, 2; Percy L. Foster, 1, 2; Frank A. Brewer, 1, 2; Charlie H. Metcalf, 1, 2; Mellen Greenleaf, 2; Georgie

Metcalf, 2; Roy Plaistridge, 2; Cliffe Plaistridge, 2; Winnie St. Clair, 2; Lee Wood, 2; Emma Bent, 2; Lula Bent, 2; Ethna Foster, 2; Myrta Naramore, 2; Winnie O. Hill, 3.

No. 3, PRIMARY.—Lulu Bent, 1; Myrta Naramore, 1; Ralph Dickenson, 1; Winnie Hill, 1; George Hutchins, 1; George Metcalf, 1; Delano Saben, 1; Roy Sprague, 1; Lelia Swan, 1, 2; George Snow, 1, 2; Edna Barrett, 2; Lucy Jennings, 2; Bernice Jebb, 2; Bessie Norwood, 2; Bernie Norwood, 2; Bessie Sinclair, 2; Lee Baldwin, 2; Charlie Howard, 2; Carl Waldron, 2; Willard Holton, 2, 3.

No. 4.—Robert Beals, 2, 3.

No. 5.—Forest Z. Morey, 1, 2; Bertie J. Plummer, 2.

No. 6.—Florence Willard, 1; Maud Jackson, 1; Bertie L. Willard, 1; Frank Jackson, 1; Earl Phelps, 1; Edwin Baker, 1; William Hunt, 2; Hayden Hildreth, 1, 2; Herman Baker, 1, 3; Gertie Hildreth, 3.

No. 8.—Nora Field, 1, 2; Gertie Clark, 2.

No. 9.—Eva M. Williams, 1; Louie O. Clark, 2.

No. 10.—Oliver S. Lawrence, 1, 2; Warren E. Lawrence, 1, 2; Warren Watson, 1, 2; Mabel Lawrence, 1, 2; Agnes Thompson, 1, 2; Ray W. Thompson, 1, 2, 3; George W. Thompson, 2.

Oliver Lawrence was obliged, on account of sickness, to be absent two days during the winter term. He had never before been absent or tardy during a school attendance of 27 terms.

No. 13.—Harry R. Willard, 1, 2; Archie J. Willard, 2; Michael F. White, 2.

No. 16.—Mary E. Bolton, 1; Jessie Doolittle, 1; Mary Duggan, 1; Agnes Duggan, 1; Carrie Hale, 1; Hattie Hale, 1, 2; Elwin A. Davis, 1, 2; Hiram Bolton, 1, 2, 3; Arthur Bolton, 2, 3; Harry P. Smith, 2, 3.

No. 18, GRAMMAR.—Mary Kelly, 1; Sarah Miller, 1; Lizzie Roach, 1; Kate Welch, 1, 2.

No. 18, PRIMARY.—Aggie Kelly, 1; Nellie Kelly, 1; Hannah Kelly, 1; Venie Detour, 1; Nellie Qualters, 1; Willie Little, 1; Katie Joyce, 1, 2; Jennie Joyce, 1, 2; Willie

Joyce, 1, 2; Olive Reil, 2; Joseph Little, 2; Jimmie King, 2; Hannah Conroy, 2; Lottie Manly, 2; Mary Felch, 1, 2; Fannie Rumrell, 1, 3; Aggie Detour, 1, 2, 3.

No. 20.—Bertha L. Buffum, 1; Leon C. Pickett, 3.

No. 21.—Bertha M. Pickett, 1, 2, 3; Marcia S. Pickett, 1, 2, 3; Osman H. Pickett, 1, 2, 3; George D. Pickett, 1, 2, 3; Oliver D. Perry, 1, 2, 3; Ralph M. Pickett, 1; Lottie S. Perry, 1, 2; Henry Graves, 1; Bell M. Graves, 1; Archie L. Thompson, 1, 3; Sammie V. Thompson, 1, 2; Guy M. Thompson, 1, 2; Willie E. Barrett, 1, 3; Lettie S. Perry, 2; Wiley J. Pickett, 2, 3; Susan K. Pickett, 2, 3; Grace E. Barrett, 3; Carrie B. Pratt, 3.

GENERAL REMARKS.

It is with pleasure that the Board report that the school year has been one of more than average success, and that whilst in some instances and under some circumstances schools have not been to us perfectly satisfactory, yet in general our first statement is correct.

Your Board have to thank the teachers for their uniformly ready disposition to adopt and carry out our suggestions in all directions. The scholars, for the courtesy with which (with hardly an exception) they have conducted themselves towards their teachers, their associates and the Board; and the parents and guardians, for the earnestness with which they have co-operated with both teachers and the Board in securing prompt attendance, and that degree of good order without which success in the schoolroom can never be attained.

In schools Nos. 2 and 18 some dissatisfaction has been expressed because the Board decided to continue the system of grading heretofore adopted for them, it being precisely the same in all respects as that adopted for school No. 3. The Board feel that a change from this system, to that of mixed schools as is desired, would be retrograde in its character and would ultimately result in serious educational disaster, and we would state that this system is one of well nigh universal adoption in all the leading educational centres of the country. Under the graded system we have found opportunity to secure for these schools teachers much better qualified for this work, and we have been able to advance the length of the school year from thirty to thirty-six weeks.

We also desire to call your attention to the fact that the

Legislature of 1889 passed a law requiring towns to supply all text books and school supplies free of cost to the scholars. This will require an appropriation of several hundred dollars in addition to the usual appropriations. In this connection we would say that whilst the tax-bills will be increased by this law, yet we believe in the end it will prove an economy, for the Board can purchase school books and school supplies at prices largely reduced from those heretofore paid the retail dealer in these articles.

We feel compelled to urgently call your attention to the rapidly growing impression, on the part of the public, that the Board of Education is required by law to allow compensation, or to provide transportation for scholars to and from school. This idea should be as rapidly abandoned, *the law only granting the Board privilege of allowing compensation when in their judgment the necessities of the case seem to demand it.* Your Board believe that honesty and justice, as well as law, demand that *every parent or guardian* having custody or charge of scholars shall make a reasonable effort to secure the attendance of their children upon the public schools when in session, regardless of the idea of compensation.

We would respectfully suggest that the usual annual appropriation of five thousand dollars for the support of schools for the ensuing year should be made, as well as that the Literary Fund and the Dog Tax be applied to the same purpose.

CHARLES J. FOSGATE.
MARTIN A. BROWN.
GEORGE W. PEIRCE.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH.

*To the Honorable Board of Selectmen of the Town of
Winchester :*

Gentlemen :—We herewith have the honor to submit the following report of the matters under our charge during the past year. We believe that the citizens of the town have reason to be thankful that the general health of the community has remained so good, because the past year with its high average temperature and excessive rainfall has been favorable for the development of disease ; and although much needs to be done in the way of better sanitation, yet we are certain that there is increased care on the part of the general public as regards the prevention of disease by the removal of conditions which may cause it. Some cases of diphtheria and scarletina have occurred but fortunately these diseases have not become epidemic. Our physicians are now supplied with the blanks issued by the State Board of Health for the purpose of promptly reporting this class of diseases to the local Board of Health, so that the measures for the prevention of the spread of the contagion which may be at the command of the health officers can be immediately applied.

The construction of the sewer from the Ashuelot River via the residence of Mrs. J. C. Smith, the Methodist parsonage, etc., as voted by the town at the last annual meeting, was undertaken under the supervision of the Board of Health, as early in the season as circumstances would permit, and the work brought to a satisfactory close. The Board, during the first half of the work, was subjected to considerable criticism on the part of individuals who, though honest in their beliefs,

were laboring under a misapprehension of the facts forming the basis of the work. Their chief criticisms were based on the fact of the removal of the twelve-inch tile which formed a highway drain along part of the sewer line and the substitution of an eight-inch tile therefor, and the construction of silt basins with conducting pipe to the sewer for receiving the surface water of the highway or street.

It will perhaps be well to state in this connection that the design of the sewer being the removal of sink water and other waste matter from dwellings to the Ashuelot River, it was necessary to establish a common grade low enough to take this waste at some eleven different points, and said grade was so low as to necessitate the removal of the highway drain, which was needed for use elsewhere, and the grades were so very sharp that we deemed eight-inch tile amply sufficient to carry out the design of the sewer, besides being less expensive. The basins for taking the surface water were a secondary consideration, and were put in so that the water so obtained might be used in lieu of a flush tank for washing the sewer. During the progress of the work, heavy rains caused trouble and increased the expense, but we were able to keep the cost within the appropriation voted by the town, and up to the present date the working is satisfactory. Most of those benefitted by this sewer have been prompt to connect with it. Some have not done so, although duly notified, and the delinquents are now liable to a fine under the law passed at the last session of the Legislature.

A similar sewer is needed on Chapel street, so called, and we hope the prayer of those citizens who have asked in the town warrant may be granted. There are many places in town where it seems to us that some work should be done at public expense for the purpose of giving adjacent property better sanitation. Near the residence of Mrs. Adams, on the west side of the river, the culvert under the highway has fallen in and choked the drainage of the land west of it. This should be rebuilt in such a manner as to give the land in question proper drainage, and similar service is needed at the

culvert near the Catholic Church at Ashuelot. At Lower Ashuelot, on the Broad Brook road near the residence of the late J. E. Felch, are houses which need sewer drainage to the river. The sanitary condition of the Ashuelot school houses is so bad that we have cited the Board of Education to take action, and we are unanimous in condemning the site of the house at the upper village as unfit from a sanitary point for school purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

G. W. PEIRCE,

A. H. TAFT,

WILLIAM F. FLINT,

Board of Health.

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1890.

APPROPRIATIONS AND MONEY RAISED BY TAXATION, 1889.

Ordinary town charges,	\$1,200 00
State tax,	3,485 00
County tax,	2,656 00
Schools,	5,000 00
Highways,	2,000 00
Town paupers,	1,200 00
Fire department,	400 00
Electric lights,	550 00
Decorating soldiers' graves,	50 00
Town library,	300 00
Village sewer,	300 00
Water for Evergreen Cemetery,	300 00
Sidewalks at Ashuelot,	300 00
Care of Evergreen Cemetery,	300 00
Repairs of school houses,	350 00
Overlay,	600 00
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	\$18,991 00

Rate per cent. on one hundred dollars, \$1.28.

Dog tax,	\$196 00
Amount gained by reduced valuation,	18 71
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Amount committed to Collector,	\$19,205 71

INVENTORY OF POLLS AND TAXABLE PROPERTY APRIL 1, 1889.

757 polls,	\$75,700 00
Value of real estate,	850,954 00
418 horses,	29,337 00
138 oxen,	7,872 00
740 cows,	16,944 00
263 neat,	4,016 00
408 sheep,	1,402 00
27 hogs,	242 00
27 carriages,	2,090 00
Stock in public funds,	5,000 00
Stock in banks,	88,754 00
Stock in corporations out of the state,	3,631 00
Surplus capital of banking institutions,	29,703 00
Money on hand and at interest,	109,741 00
Stock in trade,	151,037 00
Mills and machinery,	89,500 00
Buildings not designated,	16,935 00
Total,	<u>\$1,482,858 00</u>

196 dogs.

SPECIAL TAX ASSESSED BY THE SELECTMEN AND MONEY RAISED TO BUILD A SCHOOL HOUSE IN RABBIT HOLLOW.

Amount raised,	\$860 00
Overlay,	30 00
	<u>\$890 00</u>

Rate per cent. on one hundred dollars, .06.

DISBURSEMENTS.

ORDINARY TOWN CHARGES.

Paid W. H. Spalter for receipt book and bill heads,	\$9 00
Springfield Printing Co., printing town reports,	91 04
G. H. Snow, stamps and stationery,	1 35
E. Alexander, express on town reports,	1 25
C. E. Slate, expense to Keene on Britton sheep case,	2 90
D. H. Thompson, expense to Keene on Britton sheep case and sundries,	5 60
C. E. Slate, expense to Keene for County pauper claim,	1 70
G. H. Snow, stamps and paper for town,	5 55
C. E. Slate, expense to Keene to settle pauper claim,	3 00
D. H. Thompson, expense to Keene to settle pauper claim,	1 70
H. W. Brigham, expenses and fees,	58 68
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	\$181 77

OLD BILLS.

Paid A. J. Read, for snowing bridge,	\$2 50
D. H. Thompson, services as Selectman,	14 00
G. R. Taft, for plowing out sidewalks,	3 00
E. L. Roberts, for goods for Lottie Moore,	4 00
E. L. Roberts for goods for J. A. Dyton,	3 00
D. H. Thompson, for snowing bridge,	2 50
F. Weeks & Co., for blankets for tramp house,	2 25
F. Weeks & Co., for goods for Eva Hammond,	2 66
L. Clark, for error in tax in 1888,	6 60
A. M. Howard, for lumber for town,	9 84
A. M. Howard, for labor and repairs for electric lights,	36 18

Paid Wm. Cooligan, for blasting stone for bridge at Ashuelot,	\$8 50
J. A. Robbins, for labor on sewer at Ashuelot,	2 70
E. C. Thorn & Co., for goods for Samuel Stafford,	8 43
C. E. Capron, for drawing drain tile,	3 00
Dr. E. Evans, for services for J. Dyton's family,	5 00
Dr. E. Evans, for services for Mrs. C. Field,	8 00
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	\$122 16

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Paid Charles Pickett, labor and care of pump,	\$20 75
L. M. Kent, services watching fire,	3 00
O. J. Brewer, labor at fire,	3 75
C. G. Pickett, care of pump,	4 65
John Joyce, labor on ditch for pump,	1 00
E. B. Willard, drawing engine to fire,	5 00
A. W. Mizner, watching fire,	2 00
Burt Safford, watching fire,	2 00
Burt Safford, services at fire,	1 25
T. J. Donivan, pay roll for Ashuelot Fire Co.,	120 00
T. J. Donivan, extra services of Company at fire,	30 00
Wm. Qualters, services as steward,	10 00
Elwin Stowell, services of Neptune Fire Company at fires,	178 05
Elwin Stowell, pay roll of Neptune Fire Company,	147 00
H. E. Baldwin, care of engine,	15 00
Taylor & Ball, wood for engine house,	5 00
Taylor & Ball, goods for Fire Department,	39 45
Charles Pickett, care of pump,	7 75
E. E. Stimson, labor and material for repairs on hydrant,	2 90
W. F. Sanders, goods for engine house,	1 50
Taylor & Ball, goods for engine house,	5 16
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	\$605 21

SUNDRIES.

Paid Valley Record, printing for town,	\$1 00
Morgan & Co., stamps for town,	6 75
W. H. Jennings, for hotel lot,	1,500 00
A. W. Nason, labor on water works,	1 00
J. S. Herrick, damage to horse on highway,	20 00
W. L. Rixford, cash paid for police clubs,	3 50
L. M. Kent, labor on drain,	5 00
George H. Snow, stationery for town,	2 02
John A. Robbins, cutting brush in cemetery at Ashuelot,	3 50
W. H. Gurnsey, goods for town,	2 18
E. S. Taylor, witness fees in trial of A. Howard,	5 65
J. M. Harris, building concrete round sewer trap,	2 40
John C. Hill, bounty on wild cat,	1 00
H. L. Stetson, sheep killed by dogs,	12 00
G. H. Snow, stationery and stamps,	1 89
Taylor & Ball, goods for tramp house,	68
Taylor & Ball, goods for town,	12 71
Phillip Germain, public water,	2 00
Mrs. S. A. Chapin, public water,	1 50
C. D. Seaver, labor on water works,	1 50
H. G. Pickett, public water,	3 00
L. F. Buffum, sheep killed by dogs,	14 00
L. F. Buffum, public water,	3 00
E. Barber, care of cemetery at south part of town,	5 00
C. E. Slate, expense to Keene, stationery,	1 80
E. H. Brown, cutting and moving trees on common,	2 00
B. C. Merrill, labor on water works,	1 45
Henry Manning, public water,	3 00
E. A. Winter, expenses incurred in five cases,	6 50
Wm. R. Bullock, public water,	3 00
A. H. Taft, recording births and deaths,	6 25
W. W. Ball, sheep killed by dogs,	5 00

Paid C. I. Carter, public water,	\$3 00
James H. Bolton, sheep killed by dogs,	5 00
C. P. Lawrence, services as Sexton,	1 50
C. P. Lawrence, public water,	3 00
S. M. Morse, expense and time on Britton sheep case,	3 00
Dr. A. B. Jenney, recording births,	3 00
F. P. Carlton, sheep killed by dogs,	16 00
R. W. Boyce, expense to Keene, cash paid for recording deeds,	1 20
W. L. Rixford, expenses incurred investigating fires,	63 59
E. H. Brown, damage to sleigh on road,	5 00
Dr. Wm. S. Leonard, recording births and deaths,	3 50
C. E. Slate, stamps and stationery,	87
F. C. Barker, damage to carriage on road,	11 85
N. P. Burbank, surveying new road,	1 00
W. F. Sanders, goods for tramp house,	6 30
E. A. Winter, teams for town,	3 00
G. W. Pierce, school laws for town,	65
G. W. Pierce, recording births and deaths,	4 50
W. L. Rixford, badge for Police,	1 87
Taylor & Ball, goods for tramp house,	26
O. C. Burt, care of street lamps and repairs on same,	22 50
W. L. Field, sheep damaged by dogs,	3 00
B. P. H. Randall, care of town clock,	2 00
W. L. Rixford, " "	12 00
B. F. Howe, oil for street lamps at Ashuelot,	5 25
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	\$1,823 12

SCHOOL HOUSE IN RABBIT HOLLOW.

Paid H. G. Pickett, labor on grounds,	\$4 45
C. B. Mansfield, land for house,	10 00
Charles Jackson, labor, powder and fuse, build- ing foundation,	21 56

Paid Charles Jackson, labor drawing brick,	\$8 00
Charles Jackson, labor drawing brick to store house,	1 65
E. Alexander, freight on brick,	5 70
C. L. Russell, brick,	17 14
F. W. Hildreth & Co., building by contract,	482 90
A. S. Eaton, building chimney and plastering,	40 50
A. S. Eaton, laying brick foundation,	14 50
H. G. Pickett, painting,	5 00
A. J. Harvey, labor and stock painting,	2 50
A. J. Harvey, moving furniture to school house,	1 75
A. J. Harvey, cleaning, oiling floors and material,	3 33
H. G. Pickett, labor and material building cellar windows,	1 00
A. J. Harvey, labor and material, painting by contract,	22 50
E. Alexander, freight on seats,	1 90
A. J. Harvey, putting in seats and building coal bin,	3 50
A. J. Harvey, material and extra labor,	3 00
D. H. Thompson, building roads and grading,	21 25
Andrew Mfg. Co., seats for school house,	48 10
John Hutchins, stove and pipe,	33 54
G. W. Pierce, stove and pipe,	5 00
N. P. Burbank, surveying school house lot,	1 00
W. F. Sanders, desk and chairs,	14 50
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	\$773 37

TOWN HALL.

Paid L. M. Kent, care of hall,	\$11 00
M. D. Spaulding, labor on hall,	6 75
C. D. Seaver, labor on chimney,	2 50
W. W. Newcomb, cleaning clock,	10 00
Daniel Donivan, sawing wood for hall,	2 62
A. W. Nason, setting glass in window,	50

Paid Alonzo Hill, painting in hall,	\$3 50
F. W. Hildreth, labor in hall,	7 88
Taylor & Ball, goods for hall,	31 62
E. S. Adams, wood for hall,	14 25
Baker & Metcalf, wood for hall,	2 00
E. E. Stimson, cleaning out chimney,	1 00
D. T. Saben, cash paid on chimney,	12 89
W. F. Sanders, goods for hall,	1 13
W. L. Rixford, care of hall as Janitor,	46 25
Taylor & Ball, goods for hall,	3 85
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	\$157 74

CONANT LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

Paid S. M. Morse, plans and specifications,	\$300 00
S. M. Morse, cash paid and expenses,	44 95
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	\$344 95

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.

Paid G. H. Hutchins, by order of G. P. Warner, care of lights,	\$20 00
G. H. Hutchins, by order G. P. Warner, care of lights,	20 85
A. L. Howard, by order G. P. Warner, care of lights,	20 05
E. A. Winter, by order G. P. Warner,	20 00
Charles Barrett, by order G. P. Warner, care of lights,	5 00
G. P. Warner, rent for lights,	39 10
A. L. Howard, by order G. P. Warner, care of lights,	15 00
George Ames, by order G. P. Warner, care of lights,	30 43
G. P. Warner, rent for lights,	49 57
G. P. Warner, " "	40 00

Paid George Ames, care of lights,	\$40 00
George Ames, " "	42 00
G. P. Warner, rent for lights,	38 00
G. P. Warner, " " "	40 00
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	\$420 00

SCHOOLS.

Paid Board of Education, appropriation for schools,	\$200 00
" " " "	200 00
" " " "	100 00
" " " "	250 00
" " " "	500 00
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" " " "	500 00
" " Dog tax,	157 00
" " Library fund,	456 84
" " Appropriation for schools,	500 00
" " " "	500 00
" " " "	250 00
" " For district No. 13,	100 00
" " Appropriation for schools,	500 00
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	\$5,963 84

EVERGREEN CEMETERY.

Paid N. P. Burbank, contract for building fence,	\$25 00
N. P. Burbank, care and improvements,	30 00
A. W. Nason, lettering on gate,	75
N. P. Burbank, care and improvements,	30 00
N. P. Burbank, material and building fence,	175 00
Leander Felt, care of old part,	50 00
D. T. Saben, expense on water works,	50 00
N. P. Burbank, care and improvements,	15 00
N. P. Burbank, labor and material for fence,	200 00

Paid Leander Felt, care of old part,	\$25 00
N. P. Burbank, building fence,	100 00
Leander Felt, care of old part,	25 00
N. P. Burbank, building fence,	25 00
N. P. Burbank, building roads and walks,	20 00
Taylor & Ball, powder and fuse,	2 03
N. P. Burbank, building fence,	173 40
Leander Felt, extra labor,	3 00
N. P. Burbank, improvements,	5 60
N. P. Burbank, building fence,	5 60
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	\$960 38

SIDEWALKS IN CENTRE VILLAGE.

Paid Rixford & Seaver, building walks,	\$690 21
G. F. Howard, expense on walks,	5 00
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VILLAGE SEWER.

Paid Taylor & Ball, drain tile,	\$184 04
L. M. Kent, labor on drain,	81 45
E. Alexander, freight on brick,	70
C. L. Russell, brick,	2 86
Wm. Slattery, ditching for sewer,	33 45
G. W. Pierce, expense for sewer,	25 59
E. L. R. Pickett, grates for sewer,	5 00
John Hutchins, material for sewer,	78
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	\$333 87
Credit by cash from G. W. Peirce for tile,	\$1 26
Error in account of Taylor & Ball,	1 49
Drain tile for highway,	2 43
Balance on 12-inch tile for highway,	13 50
Cash from Mrs. Lutheda Ball,	1 73

Paid Cash from Rev. Mr. Cilley,	\$1 10
Tile on hand,	21 80
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	\$43 31
Cost of sewer,	290 56
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	\$333 87
Town appropriation,	\$300 00

SIDEWALKS AT ASHUELOT.

Paid J. M. Harris, building walks,	\$503 32
F. H. Willis, drawing sand,	12 00
Charles Jackson, drawing sand,	12 00
E. E. Stimson, labor putting in man-holes,	3 15
Wm. Cooligan, gravel,	5 00
Taylor & Ball, drain tile,	88
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	\$536 35

ERRORS AND ABATEMENTS OF TAXES.

Paid H. Ripley, error in tax on real estate,	\$7 55
Ashuelot Mfg. Co., " " "	69 12
O. W. Hosford, " " poll,	1 28
J. E. Coxeter, " " Goss place,	2 56
W. H. Jennings, " " hotel lot sold	
to town,	19 20
Baxter Wright, error in tax on money at interest,	4 02
F. L. Rumrell, " " poll,	1 28
Russell Follett, " " real estate,	12 80
James Watson, " " poll,	1 28
U. J. Streeter, " " poll,	1 28
C. B. Hopkins, " " real estate,	1 28
W. H. Jennings, " " A. Kelton land,	8 76
Lyman & Baker, " " " "	7 44
Levi Saben, Collector's abatement,	199 27
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	\$337 12

ERROR IN TAX ON SCHOOL HOUSE IN RABBIT HOLLOW.

Paid Ashuelot Mfg. Co.,	\$3 24
W. H. Jennings,	90
F. L. Rumrell,	06
James Watson,	06
Levi Saben, Collector's abatement,	9 51
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	\$13 77

NOTES AND INTEREST.

Paid Amos B. Atherton, interest on note to March 1st, 1889,	\$41 00
H. Abbott, Cashier, note and interest,	1,003 50
H. Abbott, Cashier, note and interest,	2,009 33
J. Grace Alexander, Treas'r, note and interest,	1,550 25
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STATE TAX.

Paid H. Abbott, State tax, 1889,	\$3,485 00
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COUNTY TAX.

Paid H. Abbott, County tax,	\$2,656 00
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DECORATING SOLDIERS' GRAVES.

Paid D. H. Thompson, appropriation,	\$50 00
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TOWN LIBRARY.

Paid J. Grace Alexander, appropriation,	\$300 00
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TOWN PAUPERS.

Paid Dan Dugan, for support of James Dunlany,	\$14 00
Aid for Samuel Stafford,	5 00
L. J. Scott, house rent for S. Stafford,	8 00
Octave Borgeon, house rent for Porey family,	10 00
N. H. Asylum, support of Geo. Towne,	51 47
Walter Fairbanks, sawing wood for S. Stafford,	2 25
Dan Dugan, for support of James Dunlany,	10 00
L. W. Wright, goods for tramps,	1 80
County Commissioners, support of Geo. Doucette,	39 00
Mrs. A. Kempton, support of John Kempton's children,	5 00
Emily Fuller, support of Eva Hammond,	21 25
L. J. Scott, house rent for S. Stafford,	8 00
Cash for S. Stafford,	5 00
Dan Dugan, support of James Dunlany,	10 00
Mrs. G. Stetson, board of Sidney Carlton,	31 46
J. Graves, board for tramps,	1 50
N. H. Asylum, support of Geo. Towne,	54 29
Dan Dugan, support of James Dunlany,	12 00
L. J. Scott, house rent for S. Stafford,	8 00
For Samuel Stafford,	5 00
L. W. Wright, goods for tramps,	45
D. H. Thompson, support of Sidney Carlton,	15 00
Mrs. Lyman Smith, care of Susan Smith,	2 00
Aid for S. Stafford,	5 00
L. W. Wright, goods for tramps,	1 00
Aid for Ann Sweetland,	4 00
Mrs. A. Kempton, for support of John Kemp- ton's family,	25 00
Dan. Dugan, support of James Dunlany,	18 00
Emily Fuller, support of Eva Hammond,	13 50
Zenas Lewis, support of Sid. Carlton,	10 35
W. L. Davis, support of Mrs. John Kempton,	17 65
E. C. Thorn & Co., goods for Eva Hammond,	2 45
E. C. Thorn & Co., goods for Sid Carlton,	4 30

Paid E. C. Thorn & Co., goods for S. Stafford,	\$9 64
N. H. Asylum, support of George Towne,	54 43
Mrs. L. J. Scott, house rent for S. Stafford,	12 00
John Conroy, board of Willie Coughlin,	10 00
Mrs. E. B. Washburn, care Mrs. John Kempton.	14 00
Dr. E. Evans, professional services for Mrs. J. Kempton,	19 25
Dr. E. Evans, professional services for Sid Carlton,	4 00
Maria C. Dickenson, labor and care of S. Stafford,	3 86
State Industrial School, for George Doucette,	37 50
N. E. Stevens, house rent for Charles Sawyer,	3 00
Dr. G. W. Peirce, professional services for Chas. Sawyer,	8 00
Dr. G. W. Peirce, professional services for Eva Hammond,	50
Taylor & Ball, goods for Charles Sawyer,	9 02
John Conroy, board of Willie Coughlin,	10 00
L. W. Wright, goods for tramps,	1 55
Wood Bros., meat for Charles Sawyer,	86
James P. Putnam, board and care of Susan Smith,	5 50
Mrs. A. Kempton, board and care of Sarah De Bell,	14 00
John Conroy, board of Willie Coughlin,	12 50
L. W. Wright, goods for tramps,	3 90
Dr. G. W. Peirce, professional services for S. Stafford,	56 10
Snow & Swan, goods for Sid Carlton,	3 25
Mrs. L. J. Barrett, board for Augusta Pickett,	3 25
N. H. Asylum, board of Geo. Towne,	55 36
Mrs. P. Sibley, board of Augusta Pickett,	32 50
A. Kempton, carrying Mrs. John Kempton to Chesterfield,	3 00
L. W. Wright, goods for tramps,	5 40

Paid Earl Evans, professional services for Mrs. S. Stafford,	\$45 00
Earl Evans, professional services for Mrs. Susan Smith,	8 75
L. W. Wright, goods for tramps,	1 80
Baker & Metcalf, wood for S. Stafford,	4 00
R. W. Boyce, cash paid for Susan Smith and Mrs. John Kempton,	13 00
E. Evans, professional services for Augusta Pickett,	2 00
E. C. Thorn & Co., medicine for Augusta Pickett,	1 30
E. L. Holton, goods for Augusta Pickett,	2 90
E. W. Baker, wood for Samuel Stafford,	6 75
E. A. Winter, keeping tramps,	1 00
G. W. Peirce, professional services for Augusta Pickett,	8 85
H. H. Pratt, goods for Geo. Bragg,	18 01
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	\$927 45

COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid George W. Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	\$7 50
Joseph Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	8 00
Joseph Graves, support of Mary Hayes,	6 00
Lyman Clark, support Bertie Willard,	16 00
Joseph Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	10 00
Geo. W. Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	6 00
Geo. W. Hunt, support of Mary Hayes,	6 00
Louis Gonyou, board of Alfonce Forcha,	7 00
Anthony Christian, board for Alfonce Forcha,	2 00
Wright Wood, goods for Joseph Porey,	64 80
Wright Wood, goods for Alfonce Forcha,	2 41
Dr. George W. Peirce, professional services for Joseph Porey,	3 50
Dr. Geo. W. Peirce, support of Emily Smith,	48 00
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Joseph Porey,	13 00

Paid F. Weeks & Co., goods for Lottie Moore,	\$3 03
Dr. G. W. Peirce, professional services for Kate Cunningham,	10 00
Geo. W. Hunt, support of Mary Hayes,	6 00
Joseph Graves, for support of Lucia Hammond,	10 00
G. W. Wilson, goods for Joseph Porey,	5 30
Octave Borgeon, house rent for Joseph Porey,	10 00
Octave Borgeon, support of Joseph Porey's family,	5 00
Dr. G. W. Peirce, professional services for Kate Cunningham,	5 52
G. W. Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	7 50
G. W. Hunt, support of J. Porey's family,	5 00
G. W. Hunt, support of Mary Hayes,	6 00
G. W. Hunt, support of Joseph Porey's family,	5 00
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Lottie Moore,	2 25
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Elmira Pickering,	6 75
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Lucy Pickering,	14 25
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Emily Smith,	20 25
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Alfonse Forcha,	8 10
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Joseph Porey,	36 00
Dr. A. H. Taft, support of J. Porey's family,	5 00
G. W. Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	3 75
Wright Wood, goods for Joseph Porey's family,	20 06
Joseph Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	10 00
Lyman Clark, support of Bertie Willard,	14 00
Lyman Clark, support of J. Porey's family,	10 00
Lyman Clark, support of Mary Hayes,	6 00
Snow & Swan, goods for Alfonse Forcha,	5 00
G. W. Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	5 00
G. W. Hunt, support of J. Porey's family,	10 00

• Paid Joseph Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	\$8 00
Joseph Graves, support of J. Porey's family,	10 00
Joseph Graves, support of Mary Hayes,	6 00
Joseph Graves, support of J. Porey's family,	10 00
C. S. Baker, support of Mary Baker,	22 50
G. W. Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	6 25
G. W. Hunt, support of Lucy Pickering,	5 00
G. W. Hunt, support of J. Porey's family,	10 00
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	10 00
J. Graves, support of Mary Hayes,	9 00
G. W. Hunt, clothing for Lottie Moore,	2 50
G. W. Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	5 00
G. W. Hunt, support of J. Porey's family,	10 00
Dr. A. B. Jenny, professional services for Mary Nallett,	10 00
Mrs. J. A. Robbins, house rent for Maurice Cunningham,	6 00
Mrs. J. A. Robbins, for support of Porey family,	10 00
W. H. Gurnsey, goods for Bertie Willard,	90
W. H. Gurnsey, goods for Lottie Moore,	25
E. C. Thorn & Co., goods for Mary Cook,	1 25
E. C. Thorn & Co., for support of Porey family,	10 00
J. Graves, for support of Lucia Hammond,	12 00
G. W. Hunt, for support of Lottie Moore,	5 00
G. W. Hunt, for support of Mary Hayes,	6 00
Mrs. G. Thayer, for washing for Samuel Stafford,	3 00
Mrs. G. Thayer, for support of Porey family,	10 00
Mrs. G. Thayer, cash for Samuel Stafford,	5 00
Dr. E. Evans, professional services for Mrs. Stafford,	7 50
Dr. E. Evans, professional services for Mary Cook,	7 50
David O. Fisher, board of Sidney Carlton,	17 50
David O. Fisher, support of Emily Smith,	56 00
Mrs. A. Kempton, care and labor for S. Stafford,	28 00
Mrs. G. Thayer, washing for S. Stafford,	3 00

Paid Maria C. Dickenson, care and labor for S. Stafford,	\$26 14
Geo. Nallett, support of Mary Nallett,	16 00
Lyman Clark, support of Bertie Willard,	16 00
Dr. G. W. Peirce, professional services for Stafford family,	52 40
Dr. G. W. Peirce, professional services for Fred Ella,	30 00
Dr. G. W. Peirce, for support of Porey family,	10 00
Mrs. A. Kempton, care and labor for S. Stafford,	7 00
J. Graves, for support of Lucia Hammond,	8 00
R. W. Pratt, wood for Lucy Pickering,	12 00
E. Chapman, wood for S. Stafford,	10 00
E. Chapman, support of Mary Hayes,	6 00
Mrs. P. Sibley, board for R. R. Evans,	3 00
G. W. Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	5 00
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Lucy Pickering,	12 00
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Emily Smith,	18 36
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Mary Nallett,	19 95
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for Ellen Conroy,	1 50
Dr. A. H. Taft, professional services for M. Cunningham,	1 90
Emma F. Breed, board of Asa Ray,	7 50
Emma F. Breed, support of Porey family,	10 00
Wright Wood, goods for Fred Ella,	43 24
Wright Wood, goods for Mary Hayes,	5 00
F. Weeks & Co., goods for Lottie Moore,	1 14
Bert Taft, carrying Mr. Packard to county farm,	5 00
D. H. Thompson, milk for S. Stafford,	3 00
C. S. Baker, support of Mary Baker,	20 00
C. S. Baker, support of Porey family,	10 00
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	8 00
Dan Dugan, support of James Dunlany,	22 00

Paid Taylor & Ball, goods for James Dunlany,	\$3 50
Taylor & Ball, support of Mary Hayes,	6 00
Taylor & Ball, support of Winnie Lally,	3 00
G. W. Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	5 00
Emma F. Breed, support of Asa Ray,	6 00
Emma F. Breed, support of Porey family,	20 00
John Dingman, support of Mrs. Fred DeBell,	10 00
John Dingman, support of Mary Hayes,	4 50
Snow & Swan, goods for Sid Carlton,	50
Snow & Swan, goods for James Dunlany,	75
Dan Dugan, board for James Dunlany,	8 00
Dr. Wm. S. Leonard, professional services for Mary Hayes,	7 65
Dr. William S. Leonard, professional services for Mary Baker,	4 70
Dr. G. W. Peirce, support of E. E. Jewell,	8 00
J. Graves, support of Lucia Hammond,	10 00
Emma F. Breed, support of Asa Ray,	7 50
Emma F. Breed, support of Porey family,	10 00
George Hunt, support of Lottie Moore,	6 25
D. O. Fisher, board of Sid Carlton,	27 50
L. J. Scott, house rent for Samuel Stafford,	5 00
L. J. Scott, support of Lucy Pickering,	5 00
Dan Dugan, support of James Dunlany,	8 00
John Dingman, care and board of Sarah DeBell,	41 00
John Dingman, support of Porey family,	10 00
Mrs. Shakespeare, hat for Lottie Moore,	1 25
Mrs. Shakespeare, goods for Mary Hayes,	6 00
Snow & Swan, goods for Sid Carlton,	5 00
Emma F. Breed, board of Asa Ray,	4 50
Emma F. Breed, support of Porey family,	10 00
F. Weeks & Co., goods for Lottie Moore,	50
J. Graves, board of Lucia Hammond,	10 00
G. W. Hunt, board of Lottie Moore,	5 00
G. W. Hunt, support of Porey family,	10 00
Baker & Metcalf, wood for S. Stafford,	2 00
Baker & Metcalf, wood for Lucy Pickering,	1 00

Paid Bridget Robbins, house rent for M. Cunningham,	\$11 00
Lyman Clark, support of Bertie Willard,	18 00
A. Dickinson's estate, wood for Porey family,	6 69
Minnie B. Hemingway, care for Emily Smith,	3 00
Support of Mary Hayes,	9 00
John Wyman, board for E. Jewell,	8 00
E. Evans, professional services for Ida Harvey,	50 25
E. Evans, professional services for Sid Carlton,	2 50
E. C. Thorn & Co., goods for Sid Carlton,	25
D. H. Thompson, carrying R. Evans to county house,	5 00
Daniel Dugan, board of James Dunlany,	12 00
E. L. Holton, goods for Sid Carlton,	1 75
E. L. Holton, goods for Sid Carlton,	1 25
E. L. Holton, goods for Lottie Moore,	2 10
Thomas Rumrill, board and care of Emily Rumrill,	15 00
Wright Wood, goods for Robert Turnstall,	32 00
Wright Wood, goods for Fred Ella,	36 57
E. C. Thorn & Co., medicine for Ida Harvey,	13 00
W. F. Sanders, coffin for J. Porey,	12 00
W. F. Sanders, coffin and expense for S. Stafford,	21 50
E. Winter, board and care of R. Evans,	5 50
G. W. Peirce, professional services and medicine for S. Stafford,	4 35
G. W. Peirce, professional services for Robert Turnstall,	15 28
G. W. Hunt, board for Lottie Moore,	5 00
B. F. Howe, goods for J. Porey,	13 81
B. F. Howe, goods for Geo. Nallett,	2 16
B. F. Howe, goods for Alex Granier,	17 08
B. F. Howe, goods for Leon Beaufor,	14 85
H. H. Pratt, goods for Maurice Cunningham,	15 01
H. H. Pratt, goods for Geo. Nallett,	18 00
H. H. Pratt, goods for J. Porey,	9 10

Paid Emma F. Breed, board of Asa Ray,	\$6 00
For J. Porey's family,	10 00
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	\$1,828 35

HIGHWAYS.

Paid J. H. Manning, snowing bridge and labor on road.	\$2 40
Dan Dugan, shoveling snow,	1 50
Geo. L. Kendrick, labor as agent,	74 00
Octave Borgeon, labor on highway,	1 50
H. B. Swan, labor on highway as agent,	41 25
Charles Jackson, labor on highway as agent,	32 00
L. M. Kent, labor on highway,	1 50
Geo. F. Howard, labor on highway,	22 25
Charles Jackson, labor on highway as agent,	40 00
L. M. Kent, putting up railings,	70
C. W. Thompson, labor on highway as agent,	79 52
A. J. Harvey, cutting brush,	9 00
Burton Jackson, labor as agent,	57 00
C. B. Mansfield, labor as agent,	72 55
H. B. Swan, labor as agent,	11 14
W. L. Rixford, cash paid for labor,	3 00
N. D. Safford, labor as agent,	52 50
Charles Jackson, labor as agent,	7 00
James H. Bolton, labor as agent,	93 90
E. H. Fosgate, labor as agent,	10 10
Geo. W. Combs, labor as agent,	17 20
Ed. C. Scott, labor as agent,	72 00
Charles Jackson, labor as agent,	7 00
E. & A. W. Naramore, labor as agent,	25 00
Charles Jackson, labor as agent,	15 00
L. C. Lyman, labor as agent,	45 70
N. D. Safford, labor as agent,	37 50
Geo. Combs, labor as agent,	5 10
George Bragg, cutting brush,	3 75
Wm. Cooligan, gravel for highway,	5 00

Paid Charles Jackson, labor as agent,	\$51 25
N. D. Safford, " "	51 50
H. B. Swan, " "	12 00
R. W. Boyce, " "	16 50
O. H. Field, labor and timber for repairs on bridge,	10 00
B. C. Jackson, labor as agent,	26 10
J. D. Atherton, repairs on bridge,	2 52
N. D. Safford, labor as agent,	25 00
E. B. Willard, " "	12 00
Charles Wheeler, " on highway,	6 90
Geo. L. Kendrick, " as agent,	27 55
Frank Willis, " on highway,	19 50
George Bragg, " cutting brush,	2 25
B. C. Jackson, " as agent,	16 00
Charles Jackson, " "	28 75
N. D. Safford, " "	50 00
Martin Kelley, " on highway,	1 50
Ed C. Scott, " as agent,	11 25
L. C. Lyman, " "	50 00
L. C. Lyman, railing poles for highways,	6 30
E. Alexander, freight on scraper irons,	50
J. B. Cass, labor as agent,	61 25
John Hadlock, edges for scraper,	16 80
N. D. Safford, labor as agent,	50 00
W. H. Follett, labor on road,	4 25
Andrew Curtis, labor cutting brush,	4 50
Dan Dugan, labor on road,	2 50
N. D. Safford, labor as agent,	50 00
Geo. L. Kendrick, labor as agent,	53 25
Charles Jackson, labor as agent,	27 25
J. B. Cass, labor as agent,	17 70
N. D. Safford, labor as agent,	40 00
H. B. Swan, putting up and furnishing poles,	21 54
Charles Jackson, labor as agent,	19 00
N. D. Safford, labor as agent,	50 00
E. A. & A. W. Naramore, labor as agent,	57 25

Paid James P. Putnam, labor and plank,	\$6 82
Taylor & Ball, drain tile for town,	93 48
J. N. Newton, labor on road,	5 00
Geo. W. Combs, labor as agent,	10 00
A. A. Putnam, plank and labor,	76 40
Allen Field, labor on road,	75
Daniel Woodbury, labor on road,	2 00
Phillip Germain, labor on road,	3 00
L. C. Lyman, labor as agent,	19 97
James Bolton, labor as agent,	136 75
James P. Putnam, plank for bridges,	2 53
H. G. Pickett, labor on road,	2 00
C. B. Mansfield, labor as agent,	51 20
N. D. Safford, labor as agent,	25 00
Michael Lally, labor on road and bridge,	3 50
H. B. Swan, labor on road,	2 30
Amos Lawrence, " "	9 00
E. S. Adams, " "	24 87
H. E. Shepardson, " "	4 50
D. C. Stearns, " "	23 82
C. W. Thompson, " as agent,	25 30
Geo. L. Kendrick, for road railings,	9 50
J. B. Cass, for road railings,	2 50
R. W. Boyce, labor on road,	6 05
A. N. Kingsley, " "	3 00
E. W. Bent, repairs on scraper,	4 90
Ansel Dickinson estate, labor and timber for bridge,	234 31
M. D. Spaulding, labor on road,	45
A. C. Lewis, " "	6 25
O. L. Howard, " "	1 50
Daniel Dugan, " "	3 00
L. W. Seaver, " "	1 00
E. W. Baker, " "	15 25
Patrick Lally, " "	15 00
Patrick Lally, snowing bridge,	4 00
W. L. Rixford, labor on road,	38 00

Paid Taylor & Ball, tile,	\$13 16
L. C. Lyman, labor on road as agent,	5 95
Ansel Field, " "	3 50
A. L. Maxfield, " "	15 00
N. D. Safford, " " as agent,	35 10
O. R. Hill, repairs on scraper and sharpening drills,	9 80
J. T. Burnap, breaking out sidewalks,	1 50
Charles Jackson, breaking out roads,	4 25
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	\$2,709 88

AID FOR DEPENDENT SOLDIERS AND THEIR FAMILIES.

Paid cash as by account,	\$3 00
" " "	6 00
" " "	15 00
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" " "	12 00
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Paid cash as by account,	\$6 00
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TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid C. E. Slate, services as Selectman from March 1, to March 7, 1889,	\$12 00
C. E. Slate, services as Selectman,	209 50
C. E. Slate, services as Overseer of Poor,	53 00
D. H. Thompson, services as Selectman,	159 50
D. H. Thompson, services as Overseer of Poor,	17 50
R. W. Boyce, services as Selectman,	116 00
H. Abbott, services as Moderator,	5 00

Paid S. M. Morse, services as Selectman from March 1, to March 7, 1889,	\$10 00
A. W. Nason, services as Auditor,	2 00
S. W. Maxfield, services as Supervisor,	20 00
E. S. Taylor, services as Supervisor,	15 00
C. J. McColley, services as Police at Ashuelot,	6 75
George H. Snow, services as Town Clerk,	60 00
George H. Snow, services as School Clerk,	5 00
Wm. S. Flint, services as Board of Health,	13 98
H. Abbott, services as Town Treasurer,	60 00
O. L. Howard & Son, services as Sexton,	156 50
A. A. Putnam, services as Auditor,	2 00
C. J. McColley, services as Police at Ashuelot,	7 00
G. W. Peirce, services and time on Board of Health,	41 65
W. L. Rixford, services as Fireward,	10 00
W. L. Rixford, services as Police,	68 00
C. J. Fosgate, services as Board of Education from March 1 to 6, 1889,	8 00
C. J. Fosgate, services as Board of Education,	85 55
M. A. Brown, services as Board of Education,	90 84
G. W. Peirce, services as Board of Education,	126 80
C. B. Mansfield, services as Supervisor,	18 00
C. B. Mansfield, services as Police,	5 00
A. H. Taft, services on Board of Health,	9 00
Lewis Saben, services as Collector of taxes,	200 00
Lewis Saben, services as Collector of school house,	15 00
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	\$1,608 57

C. E. SLATE,
D. H. THOMPSON,
R. W. BOYCE,
Selectmen of Winchester.

REPORT OF TOWN TREASURER.

To the Auditors of the town of Winchester :

Gentlemen,—Agreeable to the law of the State, I herewith submit my report of the receipts and disbursements of all monies received and paid out by me as Treasurer of said town for the year ending March 1, 1890.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury March 1, 1889,	\$1,485 98
Réc'd of L. M. Kent, rent for town hall,	8 00
County of Cheshire, pauper claim,	469 02
County of Cheshire, State against Lancett,	19 24
County, Abraham Baker tax, 1888,	6 25
County, on Burnap's cases,	81 00
County, H. W. Brigham's cases,	41 00
John Pickett, license on pool table,	10 00
Winchester National bank,	1,000 00
Security Savings Bank,	1,500 00
Jonah Bent estate,	162 20
Overdrawn on order for county pauper,	13 00
H. Abbott, cashier,	1,000 00
J. A. Robbins, for drain tile,	3 65
Winchester National Bank,	500 00
On Sewer,	5 69
Ashuelot Mfg. Co., abutters on sidewalk,	135 95
B. F. Howe, abuttor on sidewalk,	21 40
County, pauper claim,	817 47
County, aid for dependent soldiers,	21 00

Paid Town of Swanzev, aid for C. Sawyer,	\$20 88
Conn. River Railroad Co., abutters on sidewalk,	21 88
Winchester National Bank,	2,000 00
County Treasurer,	105 48
G. W. Peirce, for drain tile,	1 26
Mrs. Lutheda Ball, drain tile,	1 49
Conn. River Railroad Co., abuttor on sidewalk,	57 53
Mrs. Abel Hammond, abuttor on sidewalk,	17 89
Railroad tax,	460 70
Savings bank tax,	2,872 18
Literary fund,	449 54
H. W. Brigham, on execution C. Britton sheep case,	22 66
H. W. Brigham, fines in cases,	34 00
Levi Saben, taxes 1888,	4 95
H. H. Pratt, abuttor on sidewalk,	16 00
A. H. Taft, " "	18 90
W. L. Rixford, rent of town hall,	90 50
W. L. Rixford, fines for trotting bridge,	4 00
W. F. Sanders, abuttor on sidewalk,	16 65
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	\$13,517 34
Rec'd of Collector, general tax,	\$19,285 71
Collector, interest,	61 93
Collector, school house tax,	894 13
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	\$33,759 11

DISBURSEMENTS.

Old bills,	\$122 16
Notes and interest,	4,604 08
State tax,	3,485 00
County tax,	2,656 00
Decorating soldiers' graves,	50 00
Town Library,	300 00
Town Paupers,	927 45

Town Officers,	1,608	57
Aid for dependent soldiers and their families,	487	04
Highways,	2,709	88
County Paupers,	1,828	35
Error in tax,	337	12
Error in tax on school house,	13	77
Sidewalk at Ashuelot,	536	35
Village Sewer,	333	87
Sidewalk in Centre Village,	695	21
Evergreen Cemetery,	960	38
Schools,	5,963	84
Electric Lights,	420	80
Conant Library Committee,	344	95
Town Hall,	157	74
School house in Rabbit Hollow,	773	37
Sundries,	1,823	12
Fire Department,	605	21
Ordinary,	181	77
Orders of March 1, 1889, outstanding,	14	00
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	\$31,939	23
Balance in hands of Treasurer March 1, 1890,	1,819	88
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	\$33,759	11

H. ABBOTT,
Treasurer.

AUDITORS' REPORT.

We have examined the accounts of the Selectmen and Town Treasurer for the year ending March 1, 1890, and find them correct.

LIABILITIES.

Literary fund due schools,	\$449 54
Dog tax due schools,	130 00
Due Frank Holton, on Kempton land for cemetery,	175 00
Samuel Kempton on same,	35 00
Borrowed of A. B. Atherton for Ashuelot sewer, note and interest 1888,	1,060 00
Borrowed of Henry Abbott, administrator, by vote of town, W. H. Jennings' land,	1,553 50
George P. Warner, rent for electric lights to April 1, 1890,	130 00
Bills outstanding, estimated,	50 00
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	\$3,583 04

ASSETS.

CASH IN TREASURY MARCH 1, 1890.

General tax,	\$1,708 63
School house in Rabbit Hollow,	111 25
Due from County for support of paupers,	645 11
Aid for dependent soldiers and their families,	53 00

From Mrs. William Leonard, for sidewalks,	\$14 25
From J. E. Coxeter, “ “	29 70
From George H. Hutchins, “ “	10 80
From J. L. Nickerson, “ “	27 84
From Susan Smith estate, estimated,	21 00
Wood Brothers, for wood,	6 50
A. S. Eaton, for brick,	2 96
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	\$2,631 04
Net indebtedness March 1, 1890,	\$952 00

HENRY LYMAN,
WILLARD HAMMOND,
A. M. HOWARD,

Auditors.

We have examined the vouchers of library committee for the year ending March 1, 1890, and find them correct.

HENRY LYMAN,
WILLARD HAMMOND,
A. M. HOWARD,

Auditors.

REMARKS.

In explanation to the foregoing statements we offer the following remarks. The appropriation for the Fire Department was only \$400; there was no money raised to pay the firemen anything in excess of what was allowed by law, yet we have paid all bills for such services which have been presented and approved by the Firewards. The expense for support of paupers has been very large, in that we have exceeded the appropriation. Our unfortunate poor must be aided regardless of expense. Although the amount paid to keep the roads in repair has been large, we feel that our acts in this, to a reasonable mind, would be beyond criticism; for the fact that the frequent rains have kept the roads soft and done much damage to them. Although, as is always the case, we have been subject to some complaint and comment by people in each locality, yet we have tried to distribute the outlay as evenly as was possible. In accordance with the law and by request, we have caused and paid for having the doors at the Town Hall changed and hung so as to open either way; had it not been for this outlay the receipts would have more than balanced the account. We have been well pleased with the Janitor of the hall, Mr. W. L. Rixford, having heard no complaint of him from any person during the entire year. Although there was no appropriation for the same at our last annual meeting, yet we have caused a fence to be built around the new part of Evergreen Cemetery, complete, thereby carrying out the vote of the town in 1888. We have paid the Conant Library Committee \$344.95, as expenses for plans, specifications, etc.; there was no appropriation for this, yet the town voted that the committee be paid.

In the building of the sidewalk at Ashuelot we assumed the responsibility to extend it somewhat beyond the point which the article and appropriation called for, yet the receipts paid and those due from the abutters will leave a balance in favor of the walk. There was no appropriation or vote of the town for sidewalks in the Centre Village, yet upon being

presented with a large petition signed by many of our prominent business men, we felt obliged to comply with the law, and feel that the walk built was a necessity as well as a public benefit.

We, upon petition, appraised land damages and assessed a tax for building a new school house in Rabbit Hollow. The house has been built and furnished, and there is a balance left in the treasury. Although we have been subject to much comment for our acts in the discharge of our duties in this, yet we feel that we have acted conscientiously and impartially, and have abided strictly in accordance with the law.

The list of errors in taxes is quite large; a greater portion of the errors are due to the changes in the owners of real estate, and by said owners not notifying the Assessors of such changes, which were numerous the past year. In justice to the Collector, we would say that our report shows an abatement of taxes to the Collector of the amount of \$199.27, which is largely due to poll tax payers leaving town before the tax could be collected; but to offset this amount, the Collector has collected from those not found by the Assessors, \$80, which is taken from the above and deposited in the treasury. On the tax for the Rabbit Hollow school house, the abatement to Collector is \$9.51; amount received by Collector from persons not assessed is \$3.45. We believe that no person can reasonably find fault with the manner in which Mr. Saben discharges his duties as Collector.

The expenses for town officers for the past year have not exceeded the amount for same in years previous. The bills for Overseer of Poor are quite large, owing to an act of the General Court, bringing the settlement of paupers down to 1880, which has taken much time for the Overseer to look up cases and establish claims to the County. Our report of aid for dependent soldiers and their families is brief. The law makes it a fine of \$500 for Selectmen or Overseers to report any soldier or member of a soldier's family who have lived in town three years previous to their application for aid as paupers.

In 1888, as by vote of the town, the Selectmen borrowed

\$1,000 for the purpose of putting in a sewer from the school house in the Centre Village to the Ashuelot river. At the annual meeting in 1889 the town voted to borrow \$1,500 to purchase a plot of ground for the Conant Library building, and for a new Town Hall, making in all \$2,500. Our report shows that the town is not in debt to this amount, but has assets enough to bring the indebtedness of the town down to \$952. The expense for services of police have been somewhat smaller than the same for either of the two previous years. We have paid each officer for only the actual time spent on duty, and the necessary expenses incurred.

In conclusion, we have no desire to change our record, and could not if we would. We have tried to discharge our duties faithfully and impartially. We do not claim perfection, and may have made mistakes. We leave it all for the consideration of our constituents.

C. E. SLATE,

D. H. THOMPSON,

R. W. BOYCE,

Selectmen of Winchester.

REPORT OF
TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

Cash in bank March 1, 1889,	\$24 92
Town appropriation,	300 00
Fines,	14 75
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	\$339 67

DISBURSEMENTS.

W. H. Spalter, binding,	\$24 40
D. Appleton & Co., cyclopædia,	6 00
H. Abbott, insurance,	20 00
Grace J. Dunham, books,	2 75
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., books,	52 00
Geo. Lally, agent, books,	2 00
Geo. H. Rugg, books,	1 25
W. H. Guernsey, books and paper,	89 38
J. W. Jeffords, books,	24 00
Addie Randall, books,	1 75
Express,	40
Freight,	75
Cartage,	15
R. Pratt & Son, wood,	3 50
Minnie L. Peirce, Librarian to April 1, 1890,	50 00
J. A. Powers, rent to April 1, 1890,	40 00
Trustees services,	15 00

Covering books,	\$2 00
Cash in bank March 1,	4 34
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	\$339 67

The library now contains 3,148 volumes, besides Congressional, Agricultural and Patent office reports. Several of the books recently purchased take the place of those too much worn for further use, and still desired by patrons of the library. That its advantages are appreciated by the general public seems evident from the number of books taken, whenever the opportunity occurs.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY E. BUFFUM,
J. GRACE ALEXANDER,
ROSETTA P. ADAMS,

Trustees.

LIST OF BOOKS PURCHASED FOR TOWN
LIBRARY 1889-90.

	AUTHOR.
Adventures of a Houseboat.	Wm. Black
Alaska Picturesque.	Abbie Johnson Woodman
Album of Agriculture.	
Alcott, Louisa M., Her Life, Letters and Journal.	Ednah D. Cheney
America, Narrative and Critical History of. 8 Vol.	Ed. Justin Winsor
At Love's Extreme.	Maurice Thompson
Battles and Leaders of the Civil War.	The Century Co.
Betty Leicester.	Sarah Orne Jewett
Birds' Christmas Carol.	Kate D. Wiggin
Bird Ways.	Olive Thorne Miller
Boy Travellers in Mexico.	T. W. Knox
Catalogue Cambridge Library.	
Children of Gibeon.	Walter Besant
Chrissey's Endeavor.	Mrs. R. G. Alden
Coal and Coal Mines.	Homer Greene
Coming Race, The.	E. Bulwer (Lord Lytton)
Concord, Historic, Literary and Picturesque.	George R. Bartlett
Cressy, a Story.	Bret Harte
Cyclopædia of Authors.	
Daisy Thornton.	M. J. Holmes
David Copperfield.	Charles Dickens
Dorothy Thorn.	Julian Warth
Dr. Dick.	Kate Tannett Woods
Edith Lyle.	M. J. Holmes
English Orphans.	M. J. Holmes
Fishin' Jimmy.	Anna Trumbull Slosson
Five Hundred Dollars and Other Stories.	H. W. Chapton
Frank on a Gunboat.	Harry Castleman
Frank in the Mountains.	Harry Castleman
Full Stature of a Man.	Julian Warth
Gates Ajar.	Elizabeth Stuart Phelps

Greek Heroes.	AUTHOR. Kingsley
Hidden Treasure.	
Homestead on the Hillside.	M. J. Holmes
Hours with Living Men and Women of the Revolution.	Lossing
Jed, A Boys' Adventures in the Army from '61 to '65.	
	W. L. Goss
Larimie.	Charles King
Leisurely Journey, A.	Wm. Leonard Gale
Lil.	Author of Miss Tooev's Mission
Little Baron Trump and his Wonderful Dog Bulger.	
	I. Lockwood
Little Bobtail.	W. T. Adams
Little Red Shop.	Margaret Sidney
Little Journey in the World, A.	Chas. Dudley Warner
Marion Grey.	M. J. Holmes
Ministers' Wooing.	Harriet Beecher Stowe
Miss Eyre of Boston, and other Stories.	Louise Chandler Moulton
Miss Gilbert's Career.	J. G. Holland
Motley, Life of.	Oliver Wendall Holmes
My Summer in a Garden.	Chas. D. Warner
New England Girlhood.	Lucy Larcom
Old Fashioned Girl.	Louise M. Alcott
Our English.	A. S. Hill
Paying Investment.	Anna Dickinson
People I've Smiled With.	Marshall P. Wilder
Personally Conducted.	Frank R. Stockton
Peter Budstone.	J. T. Trowbridge
Plucky Smalls.	M. B. Crowningshield
Redeeming the Republic.	C. C. Coffin
Record of a Pleasure Journey.	Julia Ward Howe
Rolf and His Friends. (J. A. K.)	A. B. Williams
Rolfe's Shakespeare. 5 vols.	
Seen and Unseen.	Mrs. Oliphant
Second Year of the Look-about Club.	Mary E. Bamford
Six Little Rebels.	Kate Tannatt Woods

	AUTHOR.
Standish of Standish.	Jane E. Austin
St. Elmo.	Augusta Eyans
Souvenir of My Time.	Jessie Benton Fremont
Stories from Livy.	Church
Stories of Louisiana, Strange, True.	Geo. W. Cable
Stories of the Persian Wars.	Church
Story of Patsy, The.	Kate Douglass Wiggin
Strange Manuscript Found in a Copper Cylinder.	Gilbert Gaul
Summer in a Canon, A.	Kate D. Wiggin
Sweet Brier.	M. E. W. Sherwood
Tales of a Grandfather. 3 vols.	Sir Walter Scott
Thousand Miles Up the Nile, A.	A. B. Edwards
Three Little Maids.	M. B. Dean
Tramp at Home.	L. Merriweather
True as Steel.	Marion Harland
Utah, History of.	M. H. Bancroft
Voyage of a Merchant Navigator.	Cleveland
Wallack, Lester. Reminiscences.	
Wandering Jew.	Eugene Sue
What Katy Did.	Miss Sarah Wolsey
What Katy Did Next.	Miss Sarah Wolsey
Within the Enemies Line.	W. T. Adams
With Lee in Virginia.	G. A. Henty
Wrong Box, The.	Robert Louis Stevenson
Youth's Golden Cycle.	John Fraser

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen :

In compliance with an act of the legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following :

Births Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Par- ents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.							
Jan. 2		F		L	4	W	W	Winchester.	Mechanic.	Richmond.	W. Chesterfield	25	22
" 5	Joseph Henry.	F		SB	1	"	"	"	"	Winchester.	Keene.	33	19
" 25		F	M	L	1	"	"	"	Mill Operative.	Canada.	Canada.	20	18
" 30	Albert.	M	M	L	1	"	"	"	Laborer.	Norway.	Norway.	25	33
Feb. 18		M	M	L	1	"	"	"	"	Swanzy.	Blandford, Ms.	23	17
Mar. 8		M	M	L	1	"	"	"	"	Canada.	Burlington, Vt.	23	17
" 14		M	M	L	3	"	"	"	"	Winchester.	Guilford.	25	16
" 14		M	M	L	2	"	"	"	Mechanic.	Winchester.	Winchester.		
" 20		M	M	L	3	"	"	"	Farmer.	Hinsdale.	Winchester.		
" 26		M	M	L	13	"	"	"	Mill Operative.	Canada.	Canada.	33	27
Apr. 1			M	L	4	"	"	"	Laborer.	Ireland.	Northfield, Ms.	54	39
" 16		F		L	3	"	"	"	Mechanic.	Winchester.	Winchester.	31	27
" 17		F		L	3	"	"	"	Laborer.	"	N. Y.	26	21
" 18		F		L	2	"	"	"	Lumbering.	Athol, Ms.	Richmond.	29	21
" 18		F		L	6	"	"	"	Sawyer.	W. Springfield.	Winchester.	48	36
" 28		F		L	1	"	"	"	Mechanic.	Hinsdale.	Hinsdale.	20	
" 30	Wilson O.		M	L	3	"	"	"	Farmer.	Boston, Ms.	Winchester.	35	31
May 8	Frank B.		M	L	1	"	"	"	"	Canada.	Canada.	23	23
" 18			M	L	2	"	"	"	Farmer.	Swanzy.	Winchester.	25	21
" 18			M	L	2	"	"	"	"	Winchester.	"	20	23
June 1		F		L	1	"	"	"	Mill Operative.	Canada.	Swanzy.	25	21
" 3				L	1	"	"	"	Hair Dresser.	New York.	Canada.	20	18
" 13	Frank E.		M	L	1	"	"	"	Farming.	Indiana.	Winchester.	22	20
" 17			M	L	2	"	"	"	"	Winchester.	"	27	17
" 22			M	L	1	"	"	"	Laborer.	Canada.	Canada.	23	22
July 9	George J.		M	L	1	"	"	"	Farmer.	Winchester.	Chesterfield.	27	19
" 20		F		L	1	"	"	"	Laborer.	Winchester.	Winchester.	23	25
" 27		F	M	L	4	"	"	"	Laborer.	W. burg Bavaria	Hungary.	28	26
Aug. 4		F		L	2	"	"	"	Merchant.	Winchester.	Winchester.	28	29
" 19	Eldea.	F		L	4	"	"	"	Laborer.	Franklin, Vt.	M. Junction, N Y.	30	29
" 19				L	2	"	"	"	"	Canada.	Canada.	25	25

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Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.			Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Par- ents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.							
Aug. 22													
" 23		F	M	L	2	W		Winchester.	Merchant.	Winchester.	Keene.	20	19
" 24		F		L	1	"		"	Laborer.	Keene.	Canada.	44	37
" 26		F		L	8	"		"	Farmer.	Ireland.	Ireland.	26	23
" 30		F		L	1	"		"	Mechanic.	Richmond.	Swansey.	27	24
Sept. 5		F		L	1	"		"	Merchant.	Winchester.	S. Deerfield, Ms	27	24
" 11			M	L	1	"		New York.	"	Paterson, N. J.	Dana, Ms.	27	24
" 13	Edward H.	F		L	1	"		Winchester.	Clerk.	New Brunswick	Ireland.	27	27
Oct. 13			M	L	8	"		"	Laborer.	Winchester.	Dedham, Ms.	45	34
" 26		M		L	1	"		"	Blacksmith.	Winchester.	Braintree, Vt.	23	35
Nov. 12	John I.	M		L	3	"		"	Laborer.	Winchester.	Winchester.	33	22
Dec. 12	Charles Milton.	M		L	2	"		"	Leyden, Ms.	Winchester.	Boston, Ms.	33	20
" 23		M		L	2	"		"	Mechanic.	Winchester.	Keene.	28	29
" 26		M		L	1	"		"	Farmer.	Richmond.	Gouldsboro Me.	23	21
								"		"	Jacksonville Vt.	23	21

Marriages Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date of Mar.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Jan. 1	Winchester.	Elmer G. Fosgate.	Winchester.	29	W	Physician.	Winchester.	Joel Fosgate, Mely'n Doolittle	Winchester.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. J. A. Hanafrd
" 23	[Ms.]	Julia F. Bliss.	"	25	"	Teacher.	Royalston Ms	H. W. Bliss.	Westport, N. Y.	Housewife.	1st	Winchester.
		John J. Quigley.	"	27	"	Weaver.	Hinsdale.	Sarah M. Tower	Royalston, Ms.	Farmer.	1st	Winchester.
		Nellie F. Rowhan.	"	28	"	Mill.	Winchester.	John Quigley.	Lancaster, Ms.	Housewife.	1st	Rev. L. M. Wilde.
		[Ms.]	"	27	"	"	Winchester.	Patrick Kane.	Ireland.	Mill.	1st	Winchester.
Mar. 11	No'thampton.	Maurice P. Joyce.	"	27	"	"	Northfield Ms	Bridget.	"	Housewife.	1st	Winchester.
Feb. 9	Hinsdale.	Mary Long.	"	19	"	"	Ireland.	John Joyce.	"	Mill.	1st	Rev. A. C. Hussey, [Ms.]
		Chas. A. Boorn.	"	28	"	Painter.	Winchester.	Catharine Carroll	"	Housewife.	1st	Northampton.
		Jennie Miller.	"	19	"	Mill.	Pittsburg, NY	Catharine.	"	Housewife.	1st	Winchester.
		S. J. Pentland.	"	21	"	"	Ireland.	Henry Roorn.	Richmond.	Laborer.	1st	Rev. D. L. Fisher,
Apr. 10	Winchester.	Elnora L. Doolittle.	"	21	"	Table waiter.	Ireland.	Susan Temple.	"	Laborer.	1st	Hinsdale.
" 13	Hinsdale.	Frank A. Bragg.	"	23	"	Laborer.	W. Swanzy.	Gilbert Miller.	"	Housewife.	1st	Rev. D. L. Fisher,
		Hattie Whitney.	"	17	"	"	Blandford, Ms	John Pentland.	Ireland.	Housewife.	1st	Hinsdale.
		Frank R. Ellis.	"	36	"	Mechanic.	Winchester.	Olive S. Lewis.	Ireland.	Housewife.	1st	Rev. D. L. Fisher,
		Lydia Swan.	"	31	"	Housework.	Richmond.	Geo. H. Doolittle	Vermont.	Farmer.	1st	Hinsdale.
May 4	Swanzy.	Cyrus Eaton.	"	23	"	Farmer.	Winchester.	Sarah Shepard.	Winchester.	Housewife.	1st	Hinsdale.
		Anna K. Hosford.	"	21	"	At home.	Keene.	Geo. Bragg.	Westmoreland.	"	2d	Rev. D. L. Fisher,
			"					Lucy Coburn.	Chesterfield.	"	1st	Hinsdale.
			"					Ben Whitney.	Montagne, Ms.	"	1st	Hinsdale.
May 4	Swanzy.		"					Amanda.	"	Farmer.	1st	Rev. J. A. Hanafrd
			"					Chas. I. Ellis.	Ware, Ms.	Housewife.	1st	Winchester.
			"					Maria Perham.	Winchester.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. S. G. Abbott,
			"					Ebenezer Swan.	Richmond.	Housewife.	1st	West Swanzy.
May 4	Swanzy.		"					Hannah Parker	"	Carpenter.	1st	West Swanzy.
			"					Cyrus G. Eaton.	"	Housewife.	1st	West Swanzy.
			"					Mary Cole.	"	Housewife.	1st	West Swanzy.
			"					O. W. Hosford.	"	Housewife.	1st	West Swanzy.

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—1st, 2d, etc.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date of Mar.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
May 9	Winchester.	Geo. W. Oaks.	Winchester.	33	W	Currier.	Troy.	Appleton Oaks.	Somerset, Vt.	Farmer.	2d	Rev. H.A. Hanaford
		Emilie L. Tuttle.	"	25	"	At home.	Winchester.	L. J. Stickney.	Eaden, Vt.	Housewife.	1st	Winchester.
" 30	"	Robert Swan.	"	34	"	Mechanic.	"	Cornelius Tuttle.	Winchester.	Housewife.		
		E. A. Hildreth.	"	28	"	Housework.	"	Ebenezer Swan.	Richmond.	Farmer.	2d	Rev. M. T. Cilley,
June 15	"	Alex F. Peirce.	"	25	"	Business.	"	Hannah Parker.	"	Housewife.	1st	Winchester.
		Minnie L. Howard.	"	22	"	Poultry Business.	"	Frank Hildreth.	Chesterfield.	Carpenter.		
Aug. 16	Hatfield, Ms.	Edgar C. Kelton.	"	23	"	Book-keeper.	Hinsdale.	Maria A. Ripley.	Winchester.	Housewife.	1st	Rev. H.A. Hanaford
		Sara J. Wight.	N. Hatfield, Ms.	23	"	Clerk.	Winchester.	Geo. W. Peirce.	"	Physician.	1st	Winchester.
Sept. 4	Keene.	S. F. Hammond.	Winchester.	22	"	Engineer.	Winchester.	Maria C. Follett.	Winchendon, Ms.	Box Mfg'r.	1st	Rev. C. A. Wight,
		Esther L. Barrett.	Keene.	19	"	At home.	Keene.	Louise M. Howard.	Oxford.	Housewife.	1st	Rev. C. A. Wight,
" 24	Winchester.	Geo. F. Higgins.	Winchester.	23	"	Farmer.	Jamaica, Vt.	Aaron Kelton.	Richmond.		1st	N. Hatfield, Ms.
Oct. 2	Keene.	Ellen M. Davis.	"	23	"	Teacher.	Warwick, Ms.	Emma J. Allen.	Fitzwilliam.		1st	Rev. W.E. Bennett,
		Isabelle Flavin.	Boston, Ms.	23	"	Housework.	"	Joshua E. Wight.	Ashfield, Ms.		1st	Keene.
" 25	Winchester.	John Huffman.	Winchester.	39	"	Laborer.	"	Sarah R.	Conway, Ms.		1st	Rev. M. T. Cilley,
		Huldah Oacer.	"	28	"		"	Mary L. Evans.	Winchester.	Mechanic.	1st	Winchester.
								Thos. Barrett.	Brattleboro', Vt.	Housewife.	1st	Rev. L. B. Baldwin
								Sarah Hastings.	Hadley, N. Y.	Farmer.	1st	Keene.
								Frank'n Higgins.	Sullivan.	Sawyer.	1st	
								Johannah.	Jamaica, Vt.		1st	Rev. M. T. Cilley,
								Geo. Davis.	Winchester.		1st	Winchester.
								A. Hammond.	Hinsdale.		1st	Rev. L. B. Baldwin
								Scwall Taft.	Winchester.		1st	Keene.
								Diana Goodell.	Orange.		1st	J. T. Burnap, J. P.,
											2d	Winchester.

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—1st, 2d, etc.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date of Mar- riage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age In years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Sta- tion of person by whom married.
Nov. 7	Winchester.	Geo. L. Kendrick, M. Lizzette Davis.	Winchester. "	29 28	W "	Farmer. Teacher.	Winchester. "	E. B. Kendrick, Mary Williams, Chas. Davis, Martta Bolton.	Winchester, Northfield, Ms. Winchester. "		1st 1st	Rev. H. A. Hanaford Winchester.
Dec. 7	"	Burtin Stevens.	Stevensville, Pa.	49	"	Carpenter.	Stevensville, Pa.	Nelson Stevens, E. Lockwood.			3d	Rev. H. A. Hanaford
" 21	"	Marion L. Shepard, Frank C. Davis, Jennie E. Hubbard.	Winchester. " Hinsdale.	47 25 20	" " "	At home. Market. Mill.	Winchester. " Hinsdale.	Hiram Doolittle Lucy, Chas. Davis, M. E. Bolton, Cabot Hubbard, Estlin.	Winchester. " Winchester.	Farmer, Housewife. Mill, Housewife.	2d 1st 1st	Winchester. Rev. H. A. Hanaford Winchester.

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—1st, 2d, etc.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition			Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 5	Joseph H. Buford.	65		16		M	F	W	Housewife.	Winchester, Canada.	Canada.	Chas. Reed, Gideon Buford.	Maggie Warner, Louise Plouff.
" 28	Sarah Reed.	37	4	4		M	F	"	Farmer.	Winchester, Canada.	Swansey.	Samuel Wood.	Prusilla S. Thayer.
Feb. 31	Clarence A. Wood.	24	3	11		M	F	"	Housewife.	"	"	Celestine Gosden.	Annie Doucet.
" 15	Lilla Laundry.	81				M	F	"	"	"	"	Joseph Porlier.	
Mar. 21	Sabrina C. Lewis.	35	2			M	F	"	Housewife.	Ireland.	Winchester.	Frank Porcher.	Jennie Grinet.
Apr. 2	K. F. Cunningham.	20	1	9		M	F	"	Teacher.	Swansey.	Winchester.	M. Cunningham.	Ella Baker.
May 9	An infant.	43	7	28		M	F	"	Mill hand.	Ireland.	"	F. L. Hildreth.	Marret Loneragan
" 26	Nellie M. Seaver.	16				M	F	"	"	Canada.	Canada.	Laman B. Seaver.	
June 1	Ellen Conroy.	92	7	11		M	F	"	Farmer.	Winchester.	Swansey.	Tell'phine Fortier.	Mary.
" 14	Betsy A. McClure.	52		7		M	F	"	"	England.	Swansey.	Chas. Burt.	Susan Watkins.
July 1	Logan W. Burt.	6	3			M	F	"	Housewife.	Swansey.	Warehouse Pt.	Sam'l H. Kelley.	Charlotte A.
" 19	Susan Smith.	67	8	10		M	F	"	Manufacturer.	Swansey.	Halifax, Vt.	Rufus Taft.	Lucinda Gardner.
" 30	Lilla Kelley.	67	5	18		M	F	"	Housewife.	Halifax, Vt.	Halifax, Vt.	Wm. Dickinson.	Martha Cook.
" 31	Mary M. Cass.	80	5			M	F	"	"	England.	Germany.	Asa Whitney.	
Aug. 4	Capt. A. Dickinson.	77	3	15		M	F	"	"	England.	Germany.	Thos. Lee.	Eno'etta Stratton.
" 19	Reb'kah Dulympie	41	6			M	F	"	"	Germany.	Germany.	Bernhar' Balmer	Barbara Reib.
" 31	Charlotte F. Carter.	12	10	2		M	F	"	"	Canada.	Hinsdale.	Fred Barnard.	Jane Streeter.
Sept. 13	Mary A. Dighton.	6	9	1		M	F	"	"	Canada.	Hinsdale.	Hubbard.	Jane.
" 12	Anna B. Balmer.	67	1			M	F	"	"	Swansey.	Canada.	Fred Barnard.	Jane Streeter.
" 13	Nancy A. Starkey.	71				M	F	"	"	Swansey.	Canada.	Hubbard.	Jane.
" 16	Eldea Barnard.	65	4	18		M	F	"	"	Swansey.	Canada.	Fred Barnard.	Jane.
" 18	Mariette Safford.	27				M	F	"	"	Swansey.	Canada.	Fred Barnard.	Jane.
" 21	Wm. Buford.					M	F	"	"	Swansey.	Canada.	Fred Barnard.	Jane.
" 21	C. W. Dickinson.					M	F	"	"	Swansey.	Canada.	Fred Barnard.	Jane.
Oct. 3	An infant.					M	F	"	"	Swansey.	Canada.	Fred Barnard.	Jane.

* Single, married or widowed.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Winchester, N. H., for the Year ending December 31, 1889.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition			Occupation.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.		Male.	Female.	Color.		Father.	Mother.		
Oct. 3	Louise M. Gurnsey.	71	4	10		M	F	W	Housewife.	Winchester.	Swansey.	Asa Bancroft.	Sarah Clement.
" 6	An Infant.		4	5		M		"		Coleraine, Ms.	Warwick, Ms.	Oney W. Baker.	Katie S. Lawrence
" 15	Samuel Stafford.	82				M		"		Highgate, Vt.	Richmond.	John Stafford.	Chloe Worrick.
Nov. 23	J. E. Felch.	41	11	2		M		"	Com. Traveller.	Morristown, N J		Wm. Felch.	Mabel Rich.
Dec. 26	Harry C. Castow.	74	11	17		M	F	"				Netson Castow.	
" 7	Fanny C. Starkey.	74	10	26		F	F	W				D. W. Halsted.	Harriet A. Miller.
" 28	Clarrisa A. Buflum.	75											

* Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE H. SNOW,
Town Clerk.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

CHESHIRE SS.

To the inhabitants of the town of Winchester qualified to vote in town affairs :

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on Tuesday, the 11th day of March, 1890, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects :

ARTICLE 1.—To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

ART. 2.—To choose all necessary town officers for the ensuing year.

ART. 3.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for ordinary town charges for the ensuing year.

ART. 4.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise to keep the roads in repair the ensuing year.

ART. 5.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for repairing the highway from near Wood Bros.' meat market to or near the Winchester creamery.

ART. 6.—To see what method the town will vote to take to support the poor, the ensuing year, and raise money therefor.

ART. 7.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the support of the Fire Department for the ensuing year.

ART. 8.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for purchasing new Hose for the Fire Department, for the ensuing year.

ART. 9.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for decorating Soldiers' graves.

ART. 10.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the Town Library, the ensuing year.

ART. 11.—To hear the report of the several Committees appointed at the last annual meeting, and act anything in relation thereon.

ART. 12.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the care of Evergreen Cemetery, for the ensuing year.

ART. 13.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for improvements in Evergreen Cemetery for the ensuing year.

ART. 14.—To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to sell the old school houses in District Numbers 13 and 15, also the one in Scotland, so-called.

ART. 15.—To see if the town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to build a covered drain or sewer, according to the plan of the Board of Health, the same to be for the accommodation of sewerage and surface water through Chapel street to the Ashuelot river, and appropriate money therefor, or act thereon.

ART. 16.—To see if the town will vote to raise a sum of money necessary to pay Rixford & Seaver for building the concrete walk in and in front of the school house yard in the Centre Village, or act thereon.

ART. 17.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for the purpose of building a concrete walk from near A. M. Howard's box shop to the house occupied by Samuel Cutting.

ART. 18.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for building a concrete walk from the brick boarding house in Ashuelot to the hill and forks of the roads near the mills in lower Ashuelot.

ART. 19.—To see if the town will vote to pay the firemen anything in addition to what is allowed them by law.

ART. 20.—To see if the town will vote to take down the two chimneys at the east end of the church, in connection

with the Universalist Society, and to build one chimney suitable and convenient for both the society and the town, to raise money for the same or act anything thereon.

ART. 21.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for a Town History, or act thereon.

ART. 22.—To see if the town will vote to exempt from taxation, for a term of years, any buildings and machinery constructed or placed in town during the present year, to be used for the creamery business, or act thereon.

ART. 23.—To see what disposition the town will vote to make of the Literary Fund, or act thereon.

ART. 24.—To see what disposition the town will vote to make of the unexpended portion of the dog tax, as reported by the Selectmen, or act thereon.

ART. 25.—To see what disposition the town will vote to make of the unexpended balance of any or all the several appropriations by the town for the year 1889, as reported by the Selectman, or act thereon.

ART. 26.—To see if the town will vote to exempt from taxation for a term of years, the buildings, machinery and stock in trade of Lawrence, Field & Co., now carrying on the tanning business in Winchester, and also including all additions that may be made to the business before April 1st, 1891.

ART. 27.—To see how much money the town will vote to raise for electric lights for the ensuing year, or act thereon.

ART. 28.—To see what action the town will vote to take in regard to moving the hay scales from the present location, or act anything thereon.

ART. 29.—To see if the town will vote to put in a tile or drain at or near the Catholic church, in the village of Ashuelot, to convey the water from the side hill back of the church across the road, and thus prevent it from running into the cellars in that vicinity, to raise money therefor, or act anything thereon.

ART. 30.—To see if the town will vote to abolish the town system of schools and substitute the district system therefor, or act anything thereon.

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ART. 31.—To see if the town will vote to have the new part of Evergreen Cemetery surveyed and plotted, and appoint a Committee therefor, or act anything thereon.

Given under our hands and seal this 22d day of February, 1890.

C. E. SLATE,
D. H. THOMPSON,
R. W. BOYCE,

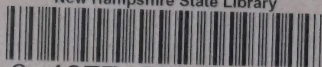
Selectmen of Winchester.

A true copy of warrant. Attest:

C. E. SLATE,
D. H. THOMPSON,
R. W. BOYCE,

Selectmen of Winchester.

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